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COURT STOPS "SALOME"

SPRING SONG DANCE GIVEN IN
SHOES AND FLESHINGS
LAST NIGHT.

MISS GERTRUDE HOFFMAN VERY ANGRY

Injunction to Be Heard in Judge
Porterfield's Court Tomorrow—
"I, Too, Am a Christian,"
Says the Actress.

Kansas City, Mo., March 2.—Gertrude Hoffman did not give the Salome dance at the Shubert theatre last night because a court order commanded her not to do so.

In the "Spring Song" Gertrude, who goes bare-footed and bare-ankled and almost bare-kneed in this number, wore fleshings, and on her classic feet she wore soft shoes because the court order commanded it.

A temporary restraining order, made by Judge E. E. Porterfield of the circuit court late yesterday afternoon and returnable tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, scored first blood for those who are fighting the presentation of the semi-nude dance in Kansas City.

Miss Hoffman was served with the order while she was in her room at the Coates house. The order was also served on Earl Steward, manager of the Shubert, J. J. Shubert and Lee Shubert being included in the list of defendants.

Miss Hoffman went to the Shubert last night determined to do her dance. She was mad and excited. It was decided to eliminate the "Salome" dance, but as the court order made no mention directly of the Spring Song number, that dance was given.

"What kind of a town is this?" said Miss Hoffman, as she retired to her dressing room after the conclusion of her act.

One could still hear the applause coming from the auditorium of the theatre.

"Do you hear that?" she said. "Did you see that audience? Did you see any people with low brows in that audience? Do they look coarse, unrefined, ill-bred? No, certainly they don't."

"What does the so-called religious element of Kansas City think I am doing over here? Do they think I get out on the stage and wriggle? Do they think the audience giggles?"

"I have given my dances all over the eastern section of the United States. I played in the leading cities of New England, where the Puritans came from and where their descendants live and thrive and still preach purity."

"Intellectual audiences, audiences of brain and taste for art saw my dances. I played to an audience made up entirely of Harvard men while in Boston. I played to an audience made up almost entirely of Yale men when we played at New Haven. When we played at Springfield, Mass., more than half the audience was composed of girls attending Smith college. They came over thirty miles to see the performance. They represented some of the richest, most intellectual families of the United States. They didn't blush. They had nothing to blush for. They applauded."

"Who are these people who rant about something they have never seen? They are hypocrites, to begin with. Why do they seize on this performance, when they have ignored other theatrical performances that might have given them some excuse for going to court?"

"Sapho has been given in this town, hasn't it? Did any so-called member of the church ever try to stop that? Is there anything in my dance that would suggest the vulgarity that is suggested in the first act of Sapho?"

"Were the police ever called out to stop 'Du Barry'? Do you remember the scene in that play, a scene right on the full-lighted stage showing a man and a woman in the same bed? Is there anything in my act that approaches that?"

"If these people object to my dance why don't they go to the art academies and tear down the nudes? Why don't they close up the art academies and prevent nude women from posing for nude pictures? Why don't they?"

"That's art they will say. If they have intelligence. So it is. And this dance I give is art, classic art."

"Where are the Bibles that these people study? Have they ever found the page upon which is printed, 'Evil to him who evil thinks'?"

"Where do they get the impression

that people giggle at this performance? What news agency is supplying them with their information? In all my experience, including seventeen straight weeks in New York, I have never heard any one giggle, never heard any one make a wrong remark during the rendition of my dance. I have hundreds of letters from women, good women, praising my work. My dance, I know from evidence which I have, is more popular with women than with men. It is art."

Miss Hoffman was getting warmer and warmer as she talked about her critics.

"Why, what has gotten into these people? Do they think this is a bootie-cootie dance?"

"I make this challenge to Mr. Gin-

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MUCKEY VERUS DEBOLD

WIFE SUED FOR \$500 DAMAGES
FOR SELLING LIQUOR TO
HER HUSBAND.

THE LATTER'S TESTIMONY ADMISSIBLE

Kansas City Court of Appeals Holds
He Has Right to Testify for
Wife in Suit—Another Pet-
tis County Case.

The Kansas City court of appeals decided Monday that a husband had the right to testify for his wife in a suit brought by the wife against a dramshop keeper.

The suit was brought in Pettis county by Mrs. Lillian F. Muckey against William DeBolt, a saloon keeper. The sum asked was \$500. She asserted that she notified the saloon keeper not to sell liquor to her husband, Stephen D. Muckey, and that her husband went into the saloon and drank with a detective.

Mrs. Muckey brought a suit for damages against the saloon keeper, and to prove her case she offered the deposition of her husband, saying he drank in the saloon after the statutory notice had been served by his wife on the dramshop keeper.

The lower court refused to admit the testimony. Mrs. Muckey took a non-suit and appealed.

Judge J. M. Johnson wrote the opinion of the appellate court, ordering the lower court to admit the testimony.

George W. Barnett was attorney for Mrs. Muckey and C. C. Kelly for Mr. DeBolt.

The court of appeals also passed upon the case of John M. Morgan against the Missouri Pacific Railway Co., a suit for \$5,000 damages for an injury sustained by an engine tire falling upon one of his feet while employed at the company shops here.

In the lower court the plaintiff was given a verdict for \$2,200 damages, but the railroad company appealed the case. Judge George F. Longan was Morgan's attorney.

THIS PRINTER HAD \$40

But a Burglar Dropped in and Stole
the Money in Gone.

Claude M. Yankee, living at 422 East Twelfth street, reported at police headquarters this morning that burglars had entered his home some time last night and stolen a pocket-book containing \$40 from his trousers pockets. There is no clue.

Entrance was gained through a window. Mr. Yankee discovered the robbery this morning.

Mr. Yankee is a printer in the employ of the Sedalia Printing Co., and has now made up his mind that in future he will deposit his surplus cash instead of carrying it in his pockets.

A RAILWAY IS HIT HARD

Must Dispose of Its Trolley Holdings
by July 1, 1909.

Boston, March 2.—By a decision of the state supreme court today, the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company is ordered to dispose of its trolley holdings in Massachusetts by July 1, 1909.

Had Couple of Initiations.

Ira Lindsay and Raola Taylor were initiated into Russell camp No. 2065, Modern Woodmen of America, at Monday night's meeting of the camp. Two applications were balloted upon.

"1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10—"



WILL BATTLE TONIGHT

YOUNG CORBETT TO MEET JOHN
MARTO BEFORE THE
FAIRMONT CLUB.

THE CONTEST TO GO FOR TEN ROUNDS

Corbett Was a "Has Been," but Now
He Has Cut Out the Seductive
"White Lights" and Much Is
Expected of Him.

New York, March 2.—Billy Rothwell, better known to the fistie world as Young Corbett, will once more appear as a fighter before the fans of Gotham. The former champion, who is one of the most popular little fellows that ever donned a glove, will meet Johnny Marto in a ten-round contest before the Fairmont Athletic club this evening.

The "coming back" of Corbett to the roped arena has been one of the wonders of the game. After sliding down the ladder of fame in rapid fashion and reaching the spot where he was a genuine "has been," Corbett suddenly conceived the idea of trying to regain his lost laurels. During the past month the little fellow has fought several battles, and his earnestness in training and his eagerness to win when in battle have won him back many of his former friends.

Corbett has turned his back on the seductive "white lights" and is spending all his time in strenuous training. When he steps into the ring at the Fairmont it is an assured fact that the clubhouse will be crowded to the limit, and every one will be rooting for the former idol to win.

In tackling Marto, Corbett is up against a tough proposition. The Italian fighter's last appearance in this city was when he met Jim Driscoll, and although beaten he showed cleverness. Corbett will have his work cut out in this battle, and if he earns the victory he will aim for higher game.

WILL ERECT A PARSONAGE

Eight Bids Were Opened Last Night,
but Contract Not Awarded.

The trustees of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, met at the pastor's study at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening and received bids from eight contractors for the erection of a modern parsonage to be erected on the lot recently purchased of S. E. Spen-

cer on the south side of West Fourth street, in the 300 block.

Bids were offered by the following: J. E. Heckert, H. M. Hammond, J. L. Cone, Jerome Moyer, S. R. Daneron, J. W. Cham, L. V. Hutchins and J. C. Warren.

The bids were opened, but the contract will not be awarded until the latter part of this week.

Will Initiate Class of Twelve.

Sedalia court No. 39, Tribe of Ben Hur, will hold a class initiation of twelve candidates at the K. of C. hall tomorrow night. State Manager Francis Bartle, of Moberly, will be present. A social session will follow.

"DRY" WITH VENGEANCE

ARKANSAS HOUSE LAST AFTER-
NOON PASSED STATE-
WIDE BILL.

GREAT DEMONSTRATION BY THE WOMEN

It Was the End of a Three Days' Fight
—Measure to Prohibit Sale of
Soda Water in the
Commonwealth.

Little Rock, Ark., March 2.—The house last afternoon, by a vote of 52 to 27, passed the Gam bill providing for state-wide prohibition in Arkansas.

The house was crowded with prohibition advocates, the majority being women, and when the result of the vote was announced the demonstration was so great and lasted so long that an adjournment was soon taken until morning.

The passage of the bill followed three days of the hardest fighting experienced by the legislature this session.

Mr. Ard, of Jackson, introduced a bill after the passage of the prohibition bill to prohibit the manufacture or sale in Arkansas, of Coca Cola and soda water.

A bill permitting racing at Hot Springs under certain restrictions was introduced by Mr. Whittington, of Garland county.

The Nehemgar Club Meeting.

One of the best papers of the year, "The Emmanuel Movement," will be read by Miss Martha M. Letts, principal of the High school, at the regular weekly meeting of the Nehemgar club, at the High school building, Thursday night, March 4.

TEDDY IS CONDEMNED

PART OF SENATE COMMITTEE
SAYS HE ACTED ILLEGALLY
IN MERGER AFFAIR.

SEVEN MEMBERS SIGN THE REPORT

If Senator Bacon Had Not Been Ill
and Absent the Committee's
Report Would Have Read
That Way.

Washington, March 2.—Seven members of the senate committee on judiciary have signed a report declaring that President Roosevelt, without authority of law, sanctioned the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Co. by the United States Steel corporation and that the merger was in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Two of the majority of the committee, however, tacked on their individual views, which to a degree minimize the effect of the declaration.

It appears today that had it not been for the illness and absence from the committee yesterday of Senator Bacon, of Georgia, a report declaring that "the president acted without authority of law" would have been adopted as the opinion of the committee.

A \$4,780 CONTRACT AWARDED

By the Pettis County Court to John
Watson, of St. Louis.

The judges of the Pettis county court late Monday afternoon opened bids for the reinforcement of the south side of the court house, and awarded the contract for the work to John Watson, of St. Louis, whose bid was \$4,780.

Other bidders and their bids follow: Cartflower & Taylor, \$5,160; D. T. Hartshorn, \$4,961; C. P. Werner, \$4,945.

The contract calls for a reinforcement of the south walls of the court house; for placing sections under the present foundation and for placing bars through the second story of the structure.

Some time ago the south wall began cracking, and this action of the court is to ward off any danger.

Mrs. Menefee Has a Relapse.
George Menefee returned last night from Kansas City, where he has been at the bedside of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Menefee, who is a patient

at the Swedish hospital, after undergoing surgical operation. Up to two days ago Mrs. Menefee had been improving nicely, but Sunday she complained of stomach trouble, which caused a set-back.

The "P. E. O." Meets Wednesday.

The "P. E. O.," a recently organized philanthropic and educational secret society, will meet with Miss Bradley, at the home of Mrs. Sarah E. Cotton, 300 East Broadway, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Every member is urged to be present.

The Rev. Caskey Is Laid Up.
The Rev. J. F. Caskey, pastor of the Fifth Street M. E. church, South, is laid up with la grippe at his home, 312 West Fifth street, under the care of Dr. D. P. Dyer. He is improved today.

THE SMALLEST LETTERS

EVER ENGRAVED WILL BE PRE-
SENTED TO MR. TAFT ON
THURSDAY.

NOTHING KNOWN LIKE THIS STEEL DIE

Each Letter Is Five One-Thousandths
of An Inch in Height—Chas.
J. Ronfeldt, Brooklyn, Is
the Engraver.

New York, March 2.—To the many honors that have been heaped on William Howard Taft has been added the distinction of having his name engraved in the smallest letters ever made.

On Thursday there will be presented to Mr. Taft the steel die bearing his name, each letter of which is five one-thousandths of an inch in height.

Charles J. Ronfeldt, of Brooklyn, is the engraver who conceived the idea of carving in steel, with letters which can be covered by the point of a needle, for the man who will be the biggest president physically.

The finished product is intended by Mr. Ronfeldt to refute a statement of an English manufacturer that American steel and American workmen are inferior to those of England.

Stamped on hard rubber the name appears at first to be only a slight scratch from a fine needle point. Under lenses of great magnifying power the letters are clear and perfectly formed.

HAD 250 PEOPLE PRESENT

Queen City Council K. & L. of S.
Gave An Entertainment.

More than 250 people attended the entertainment given by Queen City council No. 564, K. & L. of S., at the hall in the Royal Tribe of Joseph building Monday night.

The following program was rendered.

Selection, Kroencke's orchestra.
Violin solo, Hale Blackman.
Piano solo, Joseph Starr, Jr.
Reading, Helen Goodyear.

Vocal duet, Natalie Blackman and Venus Wood.

Selection, orchestra.

After the program a luncheon of meats, salads, pickles, coffee and cake was served.

WILL PASS ON MAN'S SANITY

Case Transferred From County Court
to Probate Court.

Peter Nolen, colored, 69 years old, residing with his wife and three grown children in Lincolnville, will be tried as to his sanity before a jury in Probate Judge Kennedy's court tomorrow morning. L. H. Kahrs, constable, is the petitioner.

The question of Nolen's sanity was before the judges of the county court Monday, but owing to the fact that Nolen is a pensioner the case was transferred to the probate court.

RELIEVED AS COMMANDER

Schreeder Now the Head of Atlantic
Battleship Fleet.

Washington, March 2.—Rear Admiral Charles S. Speery today made formal application for relief from duty as commander in chief of the Atlantic battleship fleet, and Rear Admiral Schreeder has been appointed in his place.

THE Y. M. C. A. MOVEMENT

INTEREST IS INCREASING AND
GOOD START TOWARD
500 MEMBERS.

THIS NUMBER NECESSARY FOR SUCCESS

It Will Be Impossible for the Mem-
bership Committee to Call, So
You Should Lose No Time
in Calling on Them.

The Y. M. C. A. movement is spreading, and increased membership and hearty enthusiasm is manifested by the young men in securing an organization that will be a credit to Sedalia.

The physical standard of the men of Sedalia shows the need of the benefits derived from a Y. M. C. A., and all those who lend their aid by joining now, while the price is only \$5 a year, payable in terms to suit the member, will not only enjoy physical and moral benefits themselves, but permit other men who come to Sedalia to share them, if a permanent Y. M. C. A. is organized and started now.

It is necessary that 500 members be secured at once. About one-half that number have signed. It will be impossible for the members of the committee to see every person in Sedalia who should become a member. For this reason our citizens are urged to call at one of the following places and sign up:

Arthur Meuschke, at Meuschke's dry goods store.

D. B. Bulkley, at Kelk Carriage works.

Prof. A. G. Norris, at the High school.

Jasper Harmon, at J. R. Williams' grocery.

R. D. Marshall, at the Knight-Marshall Hardware Co's.

William S. Dixon, at Scott's book store.

C. H. Rockwell, at the M. K. & T. depot.

J. W. McClain, at the Missouri Pacific depot.

Dr. Barnum, at his office, 320 Ohio street.

J. B. Brown, at the Prudential Life Insurance Co. offices.

Lee Montgomery, at his office, 112 West Fourth street.

E. G. Stanforth, at Sedalia National bank.

Rev. R. C. Miller 1015 East Fifth street.

Otis Smith's Pharmacy.

William Wakeman, at Sedalia Trust Co's.

Arthur Hoffman, at Hoffman's hardware store.

L. Perbaugh, at McLaughlin's furniture store.

H. L. Deming, at Sedalia Light and Traction Co's.

E. J. Simpson, at Flower-Barnett dry goods store.

WILL PRESENT A PLAY

Sacred Heart Dramatic Club Held
Meeting Last Night.

The members of the Dramatic club of Sacred Heart church met at the school hall, on West Third street, Monday night, and took preliminary steps to present the religious drama, "St. Elizabeth," at Sacred Heart hall immediately after the Lenten season.

Misses Ida Lorschach, Louise Rast, Irene Riley, Emma Keller and Alice Harris were appointed the committee to select the cast of characters for the play.

Odd Fellows Initiated One.

J. Q. Adams was initiated into Napolis lodge No. 153, I. O. O. F., at last night's meeting. Work in the first and second degrees was postponed until next Monday night, owing to the absence of the prospective candidates.

Medical Society Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Pettis County Medical society was held at the court house Monday night. Dr. H. B. Cole read an interesting paper on "Auto-Intoxication," which elicited a general discussion.

First Chorus Practice Tomorrow.

The Ladies' Musical club will have its first chorus practice for the May festival at the Elks' club rooms at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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May Be Cooler Tonight.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; cooler
Wednesday and in northwest portion
tonight.

THE MISSOURI PENITENTIARY.

Far more important than having
the state penitentiary self-supporting
is the obligation to have it wholly
sanitary and decent, says the Kansas
City Star. There has been a long
enough period in Missouri of making
state revenue out of crime. It is the
fault into which most of our states
have fallen.

The efforts of Governor Hadley and
the senate committee to improve con-
ditions at the state prison should be
successful with this general assem-
bly. "Capital punishment" by con-
demning a man to consumption is not
fitting to this day. Proper discipline
in a prison does not permit mollycod-
dling of the inmates; but a prisoner
is entitled to plenty of light, whole-
some air and to all healthful environ-
ment—bodily and mental.

Society has a share in this right of
the convict. Create tubercular men
and men brutalized by suffering, and
those who do not end in the dismal
"pawpaw patch"—the prison burial
places—will carry their physical and
moral diseases out with them to in-
fect other men.

There has been much information
acquired in recent years about sani-
tation and hygiene, and about the
reformation of delinquent persons as
well. Doubtless, a large proportion of
what is bad in Missouri penitentiary
conditions can be ascribed to an ear-
lier lack of knowledge. But now that
enlightenment has come there would
be no excuse for failure to bring the
state prison up to the full standard
of excellence demanded by humanity
and social well being.

ROOSEVELT'S AFRICAN JOURNEY.

Before this month has ended Mr.
Roosevelt will leave America for Af-
rica to hunt wild animals. The public
imagines that Mr. Roosevelt is going
for recreation and the fun of it. Ed-
ward B. Clark, writing in the March
Review of Reviews, tells us that the
expedition is strictly in the interest
of science.

"The enterprise was conceived,"
says Mr. Clark, "by Mr. Roosevelt,
and he will carry it out as leader, but
the expedition will not bear his name.
It is not to be, as the press has tried
to make it, the Roosevelt African ex-
pedition, but the Smithsonian African
expedition, and its leader is the last
man to desire that it be known by
any other name than that of the na-
tional scientific organization that has
given its aid to the undertaking. The
end to be sought is science, not sport.
There will be no butchery of game,
nor shooting for shooting's sake.

"There have been attempts to make
it appear that Mr. Roosevelt and his
field companions are to go into Africa
in the spirit that the Frenchman
said was the Englishman's spirit:
'Good morning; it's a fine day; let's
go out and kill something.' The men
who believe in the study of the liv-
ing mammal and the living bird, the
hunting with the field glass rather
than with the rifle, know the neces-
sity of museum collections of mounted
specimens in order that field identi-
fication may be made certain, and

that the life study of animals may be
stimulated.

"The mammals and birds collected
by Mr. Roosevelt and his companions
will be turned over to the National
Museum in Washington as a part of
its educational exhibit, and for the
use of students who need such mate-
rial for comparative purposes."

Students from Wall street will be
particularly interested in the stu-
dent that tried to do "its duty."

HIS PLACE IN HISTORY.

The net ordinary expenditures of
the McKinley administration of the
federal government in the four years
between 1897 and 1901 amounted to
\$1,902,000,000.

This was very much more than any
other president since the beginning of
the government. But the McKinley ad-
ministration included the four years
of the Spanish war and its conse-
quences, while in the last four years
of such peace as has been possible
under jingolism the total of the Roose-
velt administration reaches \$472,000,
000 above that of the McKinley ad-
ministration, says the St. Louis Post-
Dispatch.

With the net ordinary expenses of
his last four years amounting to the
enormous sum of \$2,374,000,000, all in
cash taken from the earnings of the
people, President Roosevelt will end
his term as the costliest president the
country has ever had, and with a
greater number of people in the coun-
try who are barely able to earn a liv-
ing than ever before.

This is the record he has made, as
it appears unavoidably in the reports
of the departments under him. Un-
less he can suppress such facts as
these, nothing he can do to suppress
protest will change his place in his-
tory.

Death of Negro Babe.

A ten-months-old babe of Charles
Rucker, colored, West Broadway and
North Osage avenue, died at 9 o'clock
last night. Funeral arrangements
have not been perfected.

Don't drug the stomach or stimu-
late the heart or kidneys. That is
wrong. It is the weak nerves that are
crying out for help. Vitalize these
weak inside controlling nerves with
Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how
quickly good health will come to you
again. Test it and see. Sold by the
W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Johnny on Baths.

Mrs. Phelps-Stokes, the young and
brilliant Socialist worker, recounted,
at a Socialist meeting in New York,
her amusing experiences amongst
slum children.

On the subject of baths in winter
she said:

"I expostulated the other week with
one of those mothers, who at the be-
ginning of cold weather sew their lit-
tle ones up in flannels, freeing them
with the return of spring. I persuaded
this mother to bathe her children regu-
larly. Then, recently, I visited her
again.

"Well," I said, "how do the winter
baths go?"

"The children don't like it, ma'am,"
said the mother. "Johnny refused his
bath positively yesterday. He said you
could do as you liked, and he would
do as he liked. You like to be cold
and clean—he likes to be warm and
dirty."

Disinfection of Books.

To disinfect a book which has been
in the sick room wash the cover with
some good purifier and put the book
out in the open air for one day, where
the sun can beat down upon it with
all force. One of the best disinfect-
ants is the black or crude carbolic
acid. For each drain, basin or bath
tub pour down one tablespoonful, then
with boiling water cleanse out the
pipe. In all cases of sewer gas this
will prove an excellent purifier and
give to any house or apartment a
healthy odor. This hint is especially
intended for those who live in town
but country dwellers will find it use-
ful in case of the kitchen sink pipes
etc.

Married Seventy-Five Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Kneeland of
Georgetown, Mass., have just cele-
brated the diamond—seventy-fifth—
anniversary of their wedding. The
husband is 97 years of age and his
good wife 92. They have had a dozen
children, and after a long life of tire-
less industry they decided to give up
their little home and deed it to the
town, in return for which they were
to be cared for for the remainder of
their days. This involved going to the
town farm, where they have been
given two comfortable rooms where
they do light housekeeping.

A Good Time.

"Did you have a good time las
night?"
"I should say so. It cost me \$100.
"Did you spend that much?"
"I don't know whether I spent all o
it or whether my wife took it awa
from me when I got home this morn-
ing, but that's what it cost me."—
Houston Post.

New goods at prices to suit the
times, at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

Gold Coin makes white bread.

TO THOSE

Who, during the Lenten
period, adopt a plainer
diet than at other times,
it is essential that the
"plainer foods" be of the
highest quality. This re-
quirement is fully met by
the Hicks store.

REMINDERS—

Smoked white fish.
New Irish mackerel.
Billet brand French sar-
dines.
Richelieu lobster.
Richelieu salmon steak.
Marshall's kippered her-
ring.
Russian Caviar.
Richelieu boneless cod-
fish.
Richelieu dainty shrimps.
Norwegian smoked sar-
dines.
McGaw's favorite cream
cheese.
Brick, Swiss and Neu-
schatel cheese.
Fine fresh oysters.

HICKS
THE GROCER

Took a Change of Venue.

Fred Bush, the negro transfer man,
who weeks ago was arrested for dis-
turbance the peace and whose case has
been continued four times by Judge
Rickman, asked for a fifth continu-
ance when the case was called for
trial this morning, and meeting with
refusal took a change of venue to
Judge Leaming's court, where it will
be called Thursday.

A LIFE PROBLEM.

"Washclean" results have been a
life long problem to the most skillful
chemists, and should be appreciated
by every woman at the head of a
household.

Why? Because it entirely elimi-
nates the washboard and washing ma-
chine, and when you inspect the cloth-
ing it will meet with your approval
more than ever before. They are just
the same every week and your help
will stay with you better. Some of
the best people in Sedalia are "Wash-
clean" boosters, who before trying it,
were the most skeptical. Don't be
skeptical, thus proving yourself to be
your worst enemy. Try it and be
convinced. You will shake hands
with yourself. Absolutely no injury
to the fabrics, and eight washings 25c.
Ask your grocer for "Washclean."

High School Society Play.

The Philomathian society of the
Sedalia High school is preparing plans
to present the play, "Cranford," at
the school auditorium during the lat-
ter part of March.

Sick headache, constipation and
biliousness are relieved by King's
Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the
system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold
by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Visit the candy department at Ram-
sey's, for bargains in choice sweets.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs
quickly, strengthens the lungs and ex-
pels colds. Get the genuine in a yel-
low package.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Get your share of the bargains in
the decorated dinner ware sale at
Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

The Wolf

A healthy, robust Savings ac-
count "keeps the wolf from the
door." It is a barrier against
many of the evils which beset
people with small incomes.
How is it with you? Do you
keep a Savings Account? Mon-
ey deposited with us is payable
on demand, any part, or all.
We share our profits with our
depositors by paying 3 per cent
compound interest. Open an
account with us, with any
amount—no matter how small.

Sedalia Trust Co.

"The Home of Savings"
4th and Ohio, Sedalia, Mo

LOCAL OPTION HITS A SNAG

Gompers Says Labor Council Declines
to Indorse Plan.

New York, March 2.—Samuel Gom-
pers, president of the American Fed-
eration of Labor, has taken a stand
against the plan adopted by unions in
this city, which sent circulars to vari-
ous central labor bodies urging them
to pass resolutions against local op-
tion. The following reply was re-
ceived from Mr. Gompers:

"I beg to advise you that the exec-
utive council has given the subject
matter of this circular careful atten-
tion, but it is the opinion of the coun-
cil that the indorsement you request
will not be practicable or advisable
at this time. The executive council
is of the opinion that it would not
represent the general sentiment of
organized labor to indorse the propo-
sition now."

SECOND TRIAL OF THE CASE

That of Uncle Sam Against the Stand-
ard Oil Company.

Chicago, March 2.—With the jury
complete, the case of the United
States government against the Stand-
ard Oil company of Indiana, on a
charge of accepting rebates, set un-
der way today for the second time.

Judge Anderson formally sustained
a motion of the defense that the gov-
ernment proceed to trial on the the-
ory that there were thirty-six alleged
offenses—that is, each settlement on
which an alleged rebate was paid
constituted a separate offense.

Under the ruling it will be impos-
sible to fine the company more than
\$720,000.

GETS RICH; GIVES UP STAR

Policeman to Become a "Gentleman of
Leisure."

Chicago, March 2.—Chicago's rich-
est policeman, Michael Hassett, lays
aside his star and club today and be-
comes a "gentleman of leisure," with
an income estimated at from \$500 to
\$1,000 a month. For twenty-three
years he has been a member of the
force, the last eight years being look-
up keeper at the stockyards station.

His inspector says he had been con-
spicuous for his charity toward the
poor of his district. His fortune,
which is estimated to be about \$150,-
000, was made through real estate in-
vestments extending over many
years.

DAMAGE SUIT ON TRIAL

That of Frank Williams Against Light
and Traction Co.

The damage suit of Frank Williams
against the Sedalia Light and Traction
company was called for trial in
circuit court today. The following
jury is hearing the evidence: John
W. Rissler, A. C. Harned, John A.
Deppier, Flem Turner, Asbury Good-
knight, H. H. Fleming, J. T. Albert-
son, Will Lovelace, J. B. Whitfield,
J. C. Cordes, C. H. Vannata and S.
T. Carson.

Judge George F. Longan is rep-
resenting the defendant and C. C. Law-
son the plaintiff.

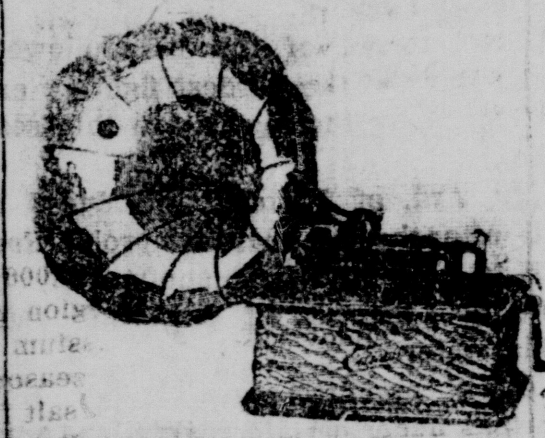
HE DIDN'T BUY PREACHERS

Checks From Senator Stephenson to
Ministers Explained.

Madison, Wis., March 2.—That checks
aggregating \$600, paid to a dozen
clergymen, had nothing to do with the
campaign of Senator Stephenson de-
veloped yesterday.

These checks made out to Lutheran
ministers were given to the treasurer
of the Lutheran Home Missionary
board in exchange for one large cash-
ier's check at the Milwaukee bank
through which Senator Stephenson's
managers did considerable of their
banking business.

The cashier's checks became inad-
vertently mixed with the campaign



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ords and new attachments.

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checks. That the checks made out
to the Rev. J. J. Ryan had anything
to do with the Stephenson senatorial
campaign also is denied absolutely.

ALDERMEN ARE CONVICTED

The Jury in the Pittsburg Graft Cases
Was Out Fifty-Three Hours.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 2.—After the
jury had been out for almost fifty-
three hours a verdict of guilty was
returned late yesterday against Wil-
liam Brand, president of the common
council, and John F. Klein and Ja-
seph C. Wasson, councilmen, charg-
ed with conspiracy.

W. W. Ramsey, former bank pres-
ident, who was indicted jointly with
them, was acquitted on the orders of
the court and the request of the dis-
trict attorney.

The three convicted men were
charged with having conspired to se-
cure the passage of an ordinance for
the paving of certain streets with
wooden blocks upon the payment of
certain sums of money by a detective,
posing as a wood block contractor,
and his assistants.

Klein and Ramsey had already been
convicted of bribery in individual
cases. An appeal will be taken by the
convicted men.

HERE IS RELIEF FOR WOMEN

If you have pains in the back,
Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble
and want a certain, pleasant herb re-
lief from Woman's ills, try Mother
Gray's "AUSTRALIAN-LEAF." It is a
safe, reliable regulator, and relieves
all Female Weaknesses (including in-
flammation and ulcerations). Mother
Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by
Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts.
Sample sent FREE. Address, The
Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Geographical Distinctions.

Inhabitants of the Isle of Wight
speak of "going to England" when
they leave their own fragment of the
kingdom. A patriotic Cornishman also
"goes to England" when he crosses
the Tamar. Similarly inhabitants of
the Balkan peninsula talk of "going to
Europe" when they leave their own
corner of the continent—in curious
contrast with the people of Great Brit-
ain, who regard themselves as both of
and in "Europe," and it is only "the
continent" that they visit. There is
an old story of a Scottish minister
who prayed for a blessing upon "the
inhabitants of Great and Little Cum-
brae (Islands in the Firth of Clyde)
and the adjacent islands of Great Brit-
ain and Ireland." Massachusetts peo-
ple speak of going "down east" when
they start for the Maine coast.

Preferred the Insomnia.

A story is told of the late bishop of
London, Dr. Creighton, and Lord Ros-
bery. Lord Rosebery complained to
the bishop of want of sleep, to which
the bishop replied that he never suf-
fered from insomnia. The earl ob-
served that he wished he knew the
remedy. The bishop's formula was
very simple. If he felt drowsy he
started to write a sermon and in a
few moments he was wide awake. On
the other hand if he wanted to sleep
all he had to do was to start to read
a sermon. Then sleep came in a few
seconds. Lord Rosebery replied that
it was his practice to choose the less-
er evil, and he preferred want of
sleep to reading sermons.

Going to Sleep.

What is this thing that knits up the
raveled sleeve of care? Calabins, in
his investigations on the mind, en-
deavored to fix the order in which the
different parts of our organization go
to sleep; namely—first, the legs and
arms, then the muscles that support
the head and back. The first sense
that slumbers is that of sight, followed
in regular succession by the senses of
taste, smell, hearing and feeling. The
viscera (contents of the body cavities),
he says, fall asleep one after the
other, but with different degrees
of soundness.—New York Press.

Bear Wanted to Play with Children.

While the children of John Herron
were playing in front of their home,
at Duryea, Pa., a she-bear and her cub
appeared on the scene. The baby bear
ran up and wanted to play with the
children, kitten-like, but the mother
bear called it back, while the young-
sters ran into the house. As Mr. Her-
ron was not at home and no one who
could shoot was around the visitors
remained unmolested. After snuffing
about the yard for a while and eating
a few apples and potato peelings at
the back door, the bears rambled
away.

Breakfasting with Whistler.

There was a foreign painter who
used to breakfast at Chelsea, and when
Mr. Carr asked him if he had been
there lately he replied: "Oh, no; not
now so much. He ask me a little
while ago to breakfast, and I go. My
cab fare, two shillings, and a crown. I
arrive, very nice. Goldfish in bowl,
very pretty. But breakfast—one egg,
one toast—no more! Oh, no. My cab
fare, two shillings, and a crown. For
me no more!"—London Telegraph.

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So far as appearances go, a cheap-made hat may,
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but a few weeks later the poor
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Stetson will retain its
fine finish, its fast, rich color
and its excellence of style
straight through the sea-
son. Come in! get a
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We have the Stetson
Soft and Derby Hats
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styles

**See the New Spring Styles in
Hats at
Wm. Courtney's**

Married at Pleasant Green.
James Woolery, a young farmer of
Pleasant Green, and Miss Nellie Ruth-
erford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.
Rutherford, of the same locality, were
united in marriage by the Rev. W. D.
Kelley at the Methodist church at
Pleasant Green Sunday night.

Mr. Rogers Moves to His Farm.
Noah Rogers, the shoe repairer, is
today moving from 1308 South La-

mine avenue to his recently-pur-
chased farm, east of the Missouri Pa-
cific shops.

Lace Curtain Sale.
The greatest bargain ever offered
in Sedalia in lace curtains at Ram-
sey's, Sixth and Ohio, this week.

Hardware and tools, complete line,
low prices and guaranteed goods, at
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SEDALIA, MO.
At the close of business Feb. 5, '09.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts. \$ 114,277.18	Capital Stock \$ 100,000.00
Overdrafts 5,357.03	Surplus 100,000.00
Banking House Fur- and Fixtures 24,500.00	Circulation 100,000.00
Real Estate 1,450.00	Undivided Profits 25,826.36
U. S. Bonds at par. 150,000.00	Deposits 1,181,446.70
Other Bonds 90,400.00	
5 per cent Redemption Fund 5,000.00	
Cash and Sight Ex- change 416,318.85	
Total \$1,507,303.06	Total \$1,507,303.06

The above Statement is correct.

Wm. H. POWELL, Cashier.

No. 2919.

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D. H. SMITH, Vice President. C. B. WALLACE, Asst. Cashier.

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box. 25c

TUBERCULOSIS

THE GREAT IMPORTANCE OF ITS EARLY DIAGNOSIS.

MANY SUFFER FROM THIS DISEASE AND ARE NOT AWARE UNTIL TOO LATE.

The number of persons who are daily carrying around with them the germs of this most dreadful of all diseases are almost legion. The farther and farther the great scientist of the day progress in their investigations of these poisonous elements that are threatening to depopulate the earth, the more amazed and appalled they become at their startling discoveries. They, one and all, concur in the fact that the ordinary method employed by the average physician in waiting until some of the vital organs are attacked, is lamentably weak, and radically wrong. They strongly advocate the revolutionizing of the whole field of medicine as practiced today, for it is entirely too broad and complicated for any one mind to master. They recommend specializing each branch, for it is the specialist who devotes all his time to a particular class of conditions that produces results that is in keeping with the advancements and evolution of the world.

For the benefit of those who are interested in the subject, The Dr. Camp Medical Co. herewith presents a few of the many symptoms that are very indicative to the trained specialist that a nucleus of this disease is hidden away in some of the deeper structures of the body and only await a favorable opportunity to attack the lungs or some other vital organ. This is what is called closed Tuberculosis or the masked variety. The early symptoms of this class of cases is a disturbance of the circulation of the nervous system of digestion and assimilation. The face frequently changes color; they are easily excited, are tired in mind and body, have little appetite, restless at night, bowels may act irregular, with irregular or painful menstruation in the female, associated with brittleness of the nails, dryness of the hair and skin; they become irritable with a very inconsistent pulse rising from 70 to 100 or more on the least bodily or mental excitement. A microscopical test of the blood and other secretions shows to the expert the unmistakable signs of tubercular destruction. Such cases if unchecked usually continue until a complete breakdown occurs when nature tries to eliminate the poison with a cough attended with all the pronounced symptoms of quick consumption. If the early history of some of the causes are inquired into, we find that some time in the past they had an attack of malaria which was in truth the beginning of Tuberculosis, the same applies to spells of pleurisy, and last, but not least, the after effects of the "Grippe," which is unfortunately a frequent cause. Tuberculosis of the throat, enlarged tonsils, the stomach, the bowels, and the enlarged glands of the neck are all varieties of this class of cases with varying symptoms according to the progress of the disease. Many cases present themselves with Tuberculosis written all over them, whose blood tests show they have reached an advanced stage of the disease unnoticed. This applies most especially to children and young adults. Another class of cases begins with a hacking cough or more or less catarrh of the nose and throat, with an occasional pain in the chest, inability to breathe deeply without coughing, loss in weight, indigestion, cold hands and feet, night sweats. The most important symptom in this class where there is no cough or hoarseness is loss of appetite, indigestion, brightness and enlargement of the pupil of the eye at times, particularly in the young.

The above are a few of the most prominent symptoms that should cause alarm of the existing evidence of the GREAT WHITE PLAGUE—CONSUMPTION, and if you have cause to believe that such a condition exists, or are in doubt, you should immediately seek the best medical aid obtainable ere you fall an untimely grave.

THE DR. CAMP MEDICAL COMPANY offers you the best there is in modern medical science for the cure of such conditions.

Their Famous Inhalatorium Treatment for Germ diseases has gained a wide reputation. Many come from a distance to avail themselves of this remarkable cure. Hundreds who had almost lost hope have been restored to health and are now happy and well.

TO THOSE WHO SUFFER.

Without a knowledge of your true condition you are groping in the dark. Come to our office and we will make a most thorough, searching and scientific examination of your case, free of charge, and if we find that your condition will yield to the influence of our New System of Treatment, then we will accept your case.

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IDLE "ARMY" OF CLERKS

THEY FALL ALL OVER EACH OTHER AT THE CAPITAL OF THE STATE.

PRETTY MANICURE IS ON THE ROLL, TOO

Miss Nellie Thomas Plies Calling as a Side Line in Jefferson City and Makes a Very Clever Sum Each Week.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—Although the state government is facing a revenue deficit of probably \$1,000,000 and economy is being preached in the matter of necessary appropriations for state institutions, the general assembly has given no indication that it will put its own finances in order by cutting off the surplus of clerks now on the legislative payroll.

There are now 394 clerks, or "private secretaries," as they are called on the state payroll, each drawing from the state \$24.50 a week. For the entire session the cost of clerical hire alone is estimated at \$170,000, whereas for the same period the aggregate salaries of the 176 members of the house and senate will not exceed \$105,000.

These clerks are paid whether they work or not and probably more than one-half do little more than draw their pay with punctual regularity.

Not one of these clerks has been required to work Sundays; nevertheless each one gets his compensation for this day at the rate of \$3.50, the same amount as he is allowed for actual working days. In both the house and senate, several of the leaders have members of their families on the payroll.

Representative Rhodes, republican leader in the house, includes his wife among his secretaries, and likewise Representative Killian, of Cedar county; Branch, of Lafayette county, and Scruby, of Livingston county.

Others who have provided comfortable berths for members of their families or relatives are Representative Drosche, of St. Louis; M. F. Doud, chief clerk of the house; Representative Hesselstine, of Harrison, and Senators Bradley, Anthony, Malang, Hall, Chinn, Dowell, Bradley and Fields.

Owing to the fact that Secretary McClintic has made up only a partial list of the senate clerks, it has been impossible to find to what tasks they have been assigned.

Perhaps more than a dozen members in the senate are classed as "telephone messengers," others as "special messengers," while the great majority are alleged to work in the enrolling and enrolling rooms.

The payroll of both houses is loaded down with enrolling clerks, who have been paid regularly since January 6, yet no bills have been enrolled and the services of the "enrollers" may not be necessary until some time in March.

When Miss Nellie Thomas arrived here recently and hung up a manicure sign in the leading hotel, everybody wondered if the innovation would be popular in this city of state officials and modest lawmakers.

"How are you getting along?" inquired a legislator, solicitously, one day.

"Oh, splendidly," she replied. "This is my pin money. You know, I am on the payroll."

Miss Nellie draws \$3.50 a day from the state, but just why has not been learned.

The doorkeeper of the house of representatives has nineteen assistants. This number is necessary, Chief Clerk Gonsorn contends, because the doorkeepers are compelled to clean up the house chamber every day.

At the same time, Missouri has a "commissioner of the permanent seat of government," with several deputies, who is supposed to keep the capitol in order.

But wherever and whenever a clerk can be added or an excuse can be found for one, whether he be doorkeeper, enroller or engrosser, there is no haggling about his employment.

In each branch of the assembly the work of giving employment to political hereditaries is conducted along philanthropic lines. If the applicant for a position is in good standing with the legislative leaders he usually is given something to do at \$3.50 a day and no questions are asked.

In the upper body, every democratic senator has been allowed to select at least six "secretaries." Several senators are said to have taken care of twice that number.

The republican senators are allowed one each. In the house, the question of patronage is twisted the other way. There the republicans, who are in the majority, appoint two "secretaries" each, and the democratic minority is limited to a total of fifteen clerks.

In defense of the house army of clerks, the republicans say that at the revising session of 1899 there

were 350 clerks on the house payroll. Therefore, they argue, they have saved the state this time the expense of 156 clerks or the difference between the number then and now employed.

The senate leaders explain that they have a few less than were employed ten years ago, but the records of the auditor's office fail to corroborate this contention.

The house membership is 142; the senate, 34, and there are three times as many bills introduced and considered in the house as there are in the senate; hence the work of the lower body is greater than that entailed on the senate force.

Despite this fact, the senate has more clerks than the house.

Representative Walton, democrat, of Howard county, says the legislature should stop preaching economy. "The clerical hire for this session will cost the state \$168,000," declares Mr. Walton.

"Twenty thousand dollars would be sufficient to employ all the help that is necessary."

"There are three times as many clerks on the payroll of the house as there ought to be. The senate is no better. I know some who never fail to draw their wages on time, but who have never pretended to do a lick of work for the state."

MRS. W. E. HOLBEN, BEST BREAD BAKER

Edinburg Lady Who Achieves Distinction Speaks Modestly of Triumph.

The International Corn exposition at Omaha, Neb., which was recently held, decreed that a Christian county woman was the best bread maker in the world.

The contest in bread making in which Mrs. W. E. Holben, of Buckhart township, Christian county, won the first prize, was open to the women bakers of the entire world, and as there were entries from all sections of the country Mrs. Holben has a right to conclude that she is the best bread maker in the United States. Her friends say she's the best in the world.

CHAMPION IS MODEST.



MRS. W. E. HOLBEN, Champion Bread Maker of the World.

Mrs. Holben is a very modest woman, however, and does not boast of her triumph. She entered in competition with over 1,000 others.

Mrs. Holben's first honors in bread making were won at a farmer's institute held in Christian county two years ago, when she was awarded the first prize. Her husband is secretary of the county farmers' institute, and partly to dissipate any suspicion of favoritism in connection with this award, but principally because he knew that his better half was an unusually skillful bread maker he persuaded her to compete at the Omaha exposition.

Mrs. Holben used Eulie's Best flour in making the prize loaf. This flour is made in Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Holben uses it daily in her home.

TAINT OUR FAULT THAT COIN FLOUR. DON'T BLAME THEM FOR WANTING THE BEST. EVERYBODY INSISTS ON GOLD

Lost—Gold diamond shaped pin, Phi Lambda Epsilon. Return to this office. Reward.

A Terrible Threat.

"You say your titled son-in-law holds threats over you?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox. "He has us where we can't give him any argument at all. Mother and the girls say we must yield for the sake of the family honor."

"Is there—er a skeleton in the closet?"

"Not at all. He simply announces that unless he has his own way he'll get naturalized and be a plain American citizen."

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Buck's Stoves and Ranges

Have given universal satisfaction for over sixty years and are still universally conceded to be the best

Our many new styles for Spring are now ready for your inspection.

P. Hoffman

TO LOOK OUT FOR FUGITIVE

Pettis County Authorities Are Asked to Do So.

The Pettis county authorities have been asked to be on the lookout for Luther Anderson, an Audrain county murderer, who so brutally beat to death George Wagner in that county and was held for safe keeping in the Montgomery city jail, but who escaped yesterday.

He is about 20 years of age; a large man for his age, being six feet tall, having light curly hair and blue eyes and weighed about 165 pounds. He and a pal, Frank Lewis, held for forgery, removed the bars from the cell window and made their getaway.

CHANGING SENTIMENT.

Oliver Goldsmith's "Deserted Village."

Goldsmith in his "Deserted Village," spoke of a certain snapper, where those who "went to scoff, remained to pray." So in life one often laughs at what he does not understand and later, when he does understand, his laugh turns to praise. There were some who doubted the merits of Newbro's "Herpicide," the scalp germicide and hair-dressing; but since they have tried it, they are now among its best friends and strongest endorsers. Herpicide kills the germ that eats the hair off at the root, and the hair then grows again. As a hair dressing it is incomparable. Try it. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

One dollar Bottles Guaranteed.—Scotten Drug Company.

EVERYBODY USES GOLD COIN FLOUR THAT WANTS THE BEST.

Lost—Amethyst pin on West Third. Finder please return to this office.

Servian Proverbs.

Some of the Servian proverbs are interesting. One is: "What is taken by force or unjustly is cursed." Others are as follows: "God does not settle his accounts with men every Saturday, but the day comes on which he settles them;" "The devil never sleeps;" "Where big bells ring, the little bells are not heard;" "Boast to a stranger, complain only to a friend;" "If you wish to know what a man is, place him in authority;" "Who readily lies readily steals," and "In evil days the man shows what he is." Another of their sayings: "The fools build the houses, the wise men buy them when they are ready," would probably in this country be reversed.

African Salt.

Mons. Lapicque informs the French Society of Biology that 25,000,000 human beings in the Congo region commonly employ salt of potassium instead of salt of sodium for seasoning their food. They obtain this salt from the ashes of certain plants. Recently, since the opening up of the country, ordinary salt has been largely imported, but the negroes regard it as impure, and abandon with regret the use of their familiar ashes. They take the imported salt only because it is cheap.—Youth's Companion.

ALL GROCERYMEN HANDLE GOLD COIN. TAINT THEIR FAULT PEOPLE WANT IT.

BOOTH GIVES \$25,000 BAIL

Indicted Millionaire Goes to Court in Touring Car.

Chicago, March 2.—W. Vernon Booth, president of A. Booth & Co., and F. R. Robbins, former assistant treasurer of the company, who were indicted jointly last Saturday on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the Continental National bank of \$350,000, gave bonds of \$25,000 and \$15,000, respectively, yesterday.

A crowd gazed curiously at the well known polo player, master of the bounds and society man when Mr. Booth stepped from his big touring car and entered the criminal court building.

JAMES J. JEFFRIES TALKS

Champion May Fight Jack Johnson for the Championship.

Chicago, March 2.—"I will fight Jack Johnson for the heavy-weight championship of the world if I am able to get into condition to do myself justice," said James J. Jeffries, who stopped off here on his way to New York yesterday.

"The story from Omaha that I said I would fight Johnson as soon as I finished my vaudeville engagement is not true," continued Jeffries. "I have never said definitely I would fight Johnson, and I am not ready to do so now. My future depends on my ability to get into condition."

PETITION 43 FEET LONG

Johnson of Vernon Presents One Asking for Prohibition.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—One of many petitions introduced in the house yesterday was that which Representative Johnson, of Vernon, designated as "forty-three feet long, with names in proportion," asking for a prohibition amendment to the constitution.

The document was a roll of legal cap measuring about eight inches through.

White stone ware, in jugs, crocks, jars, churns, and everything made in stone ware at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

FORMATION OF REELFOOT LAKE.

Strange History of Spot Where Night Riders' Crime Occurred.

The physical history of Reelfoot lake of night rider fame is not without a certain interest of its own. The lake came into existence as the result of a series of earthquakes which began in December, 1811, and continued until June, 1812.

Some authorities say that the earthquakes merely heaved up a great ridge of land across the path of the Reelfoot river, which runs into the Mississippi, and that this dam caused the water to back up and broaden out and form a lake; but the favorite account in the neighborhood is to the effect that the ground sank, springs were opened up, neighboring creeks diverted from their course and the overflowing waters of the Mississippi rushed in during the flood season of the spring of 1812.

It is said that for an hour and a half the waters of the Mississippi flowed up-hill while filling up the depression caused by the earthquakes. Both accounts likely have this much of truth in them that the entire configuration of the ground was changed by the earthquakes. Big lake, west of the Mississippi, is said to have been formed in the same way at the same time.

Reelfoot lake is sixteen or eighteen miles long, writes Don Marquis in "Uncle Remus" Magazine, very irregular in shape, and covers from 35,000 to 40,000 acres of land. It varies in width from a mile in some places to four or five miles in others. The northern end



The New Spring Hats are now being shown

The Advance Shipment of the

NEW REGAL SPRING SHOES

are now in and on sale, would be pleased to show you the

New Styles



COURT STOPS "SALOME"

(Continued From Page 1.)

sy Smith, or whatever you call him? I am as good a woman, as pure a woman, as the wives of the men who have started this crusade. I challenge him or any minister or any church deacon to say that these dances are immoral after witnessing them themselves.

"I will go still further; I'll go to Convention hall and face Gypsy Smith and his ministers and his deacons on the same platform, and I'll make my talk and let them make theirs and I'll do my dances and leave it to their own audience to decide the morals or the immorals to be found.

"And furthermore, I'll not charge admission and I won't take up a collection.

"And let me say this," said Miss Hoffman, as a parting shot, "I don't know as much about the Bible as some of my critics, perhaps, although I was reared a Christian and am still a Christian, I wouldn't accuse anyone on this earth of a crime that I had never seen committed.

"Courts don't take hearsay evidence and the courts are pretty reliable. It is the evidence of the man who has seen the act that counts with a jury. "What an utterly absurd thing it is for a party of supposed intelligent men to start a war against the Bible as they only suspect and which, by their own admission, they know nothing about.

"This is Missouri, isn't it? Well, let 'em come and be shown."

Garden and Flower Seed, the best by test. Ask your neighbor. 1c. per package at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGAR, 10c.

Every day a bargain day at The Globe Clothing and Shoe store, 106-107 West Main street.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and repaired, saws filed, lawn mowers sharpened. Home phone 272.

"Bud" Shepard Sells Out.

I. A. Shepard, better known as "Bud" Shepard, has sold his livery stock at 109 West Fifth street, including horses, buggies, etc., to John Menefee, Jr., who moved his new purchases to his own stable, on West Main street, last night. Mr. Shepard is contemplating moving his family away from Sedalia.

Daniels Moves Two Blocks.

C. H. Daniels, the caterer, today closed his soda water fountain at the Bruce pharmacy, and in future will be located at the Scotten Drug company, Second and Ohio streets.

India and Ceylon TEA Black or Green

For Sale By the Following Grocers:

SEDALIA, MO.

BRANDT, P. Gro. Co., 5th & Ohio, BULLOCK, J. C., 600 E. 13th, COOPER, J. W., 1207 S. Ingram, GEHLKEN & MILBURN, Saline and Engineer, GROSSHANS, G. J., 109 E. Main,

HELSEY, G. E. & Son, 1501 S. Ohio,

HOFFMAN, C. & Bros., 734 E. 5th, LETTS, W. J., 5th & Engineer, LICKLIDER, J. M., 1423 S. Ingram, MEYER, P. H., 1021 S. Ohio, MULCAHY, F. F., 112 S. Osage, OECHSLI, F. S.

RUSKIN, H., 621 S. Engineer

WILLIAMS, J. R. WINDSOR MO. FOSTER & AMICK, HINES, W. M., HUNSTON MERC. CO., MARTIN & WEIZENIED BROS.

WALK-OVER SHOES



The New Spring Styles
\$3.50--Walk-Over Shoes--\$4

You have never had as much Shoe Satisfaction as it is possible for you to get if you have never worn Walk-Overs. Walk-Overs come in all styles and all leathers at the uniform price of \$3.50 and \$4.00 always. The new spring styles now showing. Come in and see them.

St. Louis Co. Co.
Suits for Men and Women

THE LODGES

Attention, Sir Knights.
St. Omer commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will meet in regular conclave Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 7:30. Your attendance is requested. Visiting Sir Knights fraternally invited.
E. A. Sisson, E. C.
J. W. Mallery, Recorder.

W. O. W. Notice.
Sedalia camp No. 16, Woodmen of the World will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) night in regular session in Odd Fellows' hall, 508 Ohio street. Members are urged to attend. Visitors cordially welcome.
T. J. ROBB, Consul Commander.
E. M. SHIELDS, Clerk.

Ben Hur Meetings.
Sedalia court No. 29, Tribe Ben Hur, meets each Wednesday evening in Knights of Columbus hall, Sedalia Trust building, Fourth and Ohio streets. Visiting members always welcome.

Assessments and dues may be paid at Mrs. A. M. Hayne, 406 Ohio street, to the scribs at any time, or at scribe's residence, 1700 S. Harrison.
H. L. BARNUM, Chief.
WILL L. BRUMMETT, Scribe.

GUN-TOTERS TO BE HIT HARD

Bills Increasing Punishment and Barring Displays.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—The senate took a strong stand last evening in favor of Senator Wilson's two bills, one greatly increasing the penalties for carrying concealed weapons and the other prohibiting the exposure of deadly weapons in shop windows and show cases.

The first, including amendments adopted this afternoon, denies any defense for carrying such weapons on the part of all save officers, makes the offense a felony, punishable by fine of not less than \$100 and possible imprisonment.

Not Sisters

Now and again you see two women passing down the street who look like sisters. You are astonished to learn that they are mother and daughter, and you realize that a woman at forty or forty-five ought to be at her finest and fairest. Why isn't it so? The general health of woman is so intimately associated with the local health of the essentially feminine organs that there can be no red cheeks and round form where there is female weakness.

Women who have suffered from this trouble have found prompt relief and cure in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It gives vigor and vitality to the organs of womanhood. It clears the complexion, brightens the eyes and reddens the cheeks.

No alcohol, or habit-forming drugs is contained in "Favorite Prescription." Any sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free. Every letter is held as sacredly confidential, and answered in a plain envelope. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N. Y.

prisonment in the penitentiary for two years, and also removes all such prosecutions from the jurisdiction of the lower courts, such as justices of the peace and police courts, and vests sole jurisdiction in the criminal and circuit courts.

Senator Dorris tried to amend this bill by offering an amendment reducing the minimum punishment to a fine of \$25, or just half of what it is at present. This the senate would not agree to, but adopted the amendments offered by Senator Wilson and ordered it to be engrossed by a vote that indicates its passage. The second bill here referred to was also ordered engrossed, without objection.

NEW SPRING SUITINGS NOW READY.—LOEWER, TAILOR.

Quality and low prices are combined at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

Work and Life.
I was much impressed by what the head of a large and prosperous bourgeois French family said to an American friend: "During the day we are all busy with our various avocations. The evenings are devoted to more serious things—reading, music, conversation, society." This is surely the normal point of view of a civilized man living in a civilized society.

In Italy, where social life, as in France, is taken somewhat more seriously than with us, it is usual for the women prominent in society to receive in the evening. One evening a week (sometimes two, in a few cases every evening) is set apart for receiving the friends and habits of the house. In Rome, where society is more crystallized, where the social game is better played than in any community I know, one or two of the great houses are open to visitors on every evening of the week.—Maud Howe, in Harper's Bazar.

Causes of Blindness.
The dangers to which the modern eye is exposed fall into two great classes—disease and overuse from near work. Here another great consoling fact faces us, and that is that while overwork and consequent eye strain are by far the commonest troubles that befall the modern eye, discomfort and inefficiency are as far as they go in 99 cases out of 100. It is a fact that 99.9 per cent. of all blindness is due to disease and not to overwork.

More significant yet, seven-tenths of the diseases which produce blindness are the acute infections, against which civilization wages an unceasing and victorious conflict.—Woman's Home Companion.



DONLIN QUILTS "GIANTS"

MIKE SIGNS WITH CALLAHAN'S CLUB AND RETAINS THEATRICAL CONTRACT.

WANTED \$8000 FOR SEASON FROM BRUSH

Donlin and His Wife, Mabel Hise, Are to Do Stunts on the Vaudeville Stage at \$1,000 a Week, 'Tis Said.

New York, March 2.—There was positive information yesterday that Mike Donlin will not play ball with the Giants this year. It appears that Donlin asked the New York club about a month ago for a salary of \$8,000 for this season. Two weeks later he received a curt reply from John T. Brush, stating that the New York club would not accede to his demand and wishing him success in his present theatrical venture.

Since then Donlin has signed a contract to play ball this summer with Jimmy Callahan's "outlaw" club in Chicago, which calls for two games a week, and will enable Michael to remain with his wife, Mabel Hise, on the vaudeville stage without a vacation.

Donlin and his wife are receiving an average of \$1,000 a week for their vaudeville act, and, as they are booked ahead from now until fall, they figure that they will make nearly three times as much money if the Giants' captain does not appear at the Polo grounds.

It is said also that Donlin believes that he has a grievance against the New York club, because he feels that Brush should have treated his salary kick with more consideration.

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

Nominated at Convention in St. Louis Monday.

St. Louis, Mo., March 2.—The republican city convention yesterday afternoon nominated the following ticket:

Mayor—Frederick K. Kreismann.
Comptroller—B. J. Taussig.
Collector—Edward Koehn.
Treasurer—Leon W. Quick.
Register—Martin R. H. Witter.
Auditor—W. R. Hodges.
President B. P. L.—Maxime Reber.
Assessor—Christian Brinkop.
Inspector weights and measures—Peter Anderson.

President city council—John H. Gundlach.

City marshal—George P. Weinbrenner.

It's Time to Talk—A little about paint. We are in line with the best material. Arlington Pharmacy.

HAVE FASCINATION FOR WOMEN.

Captive Wild Animals and Snakes Interest the Fair Sex.

"One of the most interesting things to me in connection with this 'job,' said the veteran keeper of the Zoo, "is the peculiar fascination women have for certain animals and their lack of interest in others. Of course, as a rule, men are more interested than women, generally speaking, in wild animals. But the masculine interest lies in an admiration of the physical qualities or a curiosity to find out at close range how the creature lives. The woman's feeling, on the other hand, nine times out of ten, is one of rapt fascination impossible to overcome when she is close to certain creatures of the woods.

"This emotion never manifests itself for the eaters of grass. For the elephant or deer the average woman feels no real interest whatever. It is toward the devourer of flesh, particularly the felines, that your wife or sister or cousin feels drawn in that inexplicable way. You must spend days in the lion house in order to appreciate fully the way in which women stand spellbound before these cages. But the greatest of all is the fascination of the reptiles. I have seen women become absolutely unconscious of the outer world in their contemplation of motionless snakes. A few days ago a woman stood for more than two hours before the king cobras. She looked like the wife of a working man who made fair pay. I'll bet that if you gave her a book on snakes she wouldn't read a hundred words of it."

IN THE DAY OF THE AIRSHIP.

How Men of That Age Will Look Back at Present Generation.

We who are used to flight can hardly realize the crawling life of men before the twentieth century. They were bound to roads and railroads. They could not ride direct to any given spot. They were confined by roads and railroads, and they were a hurried race that chafed at these restraints. Imagine, then, this race suddenly relieved of such vexatious barriers, entering into a new realm, as free as the sea, and reaching all men alike, so that every man's farm or factory was a harbor from which

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Increase your light three-fold, by using a WELSBACH JUNIOR Burner, chimney and mantle complete for 35c at

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6th and Ohio Sts.

he could sail as directly as the wind would let him to any spot in the world; and, bear in mind, from the first with a rapidity that equaled that of the ordinary railroad trains of the day and surpassed any speed permitted by law to private vehicles on their crooked roads. It was indeed this advantage of speed which encouraged as much as anything else the commercial development of the flyer.—Albert White Vorse, in Success Magazine.

The Revenge of the Beavers.

At the reservoir at Saddleback pond recently at Rangely beavers' work in dam construction was found to interfere with the water supply from Saddleback stream. These busy engineers had constructed a tight dam which had retained considerable of the supply of the mountain reservoir, and workmen each day tore out their work only to find it rebuilt on their next visit. Good-sized tree sections had been hauled in and placed in the dam by the beavers. After several destructions of the beavers' dams there was again found to be a stoppage in the supply of water through the main pipes. The dam had not been rebuilt, but on close investigation it was found that these cunning engineers in revenge apparently had built a dense screen across the strainer, which had prevented the flow of water through the main pipe.—Kennebec (Me.) Journal.

SOOTHING OIL CURES THE SKIN

Tender Skins of Children Soothed By a Mild Liquid Compound.

Have you ever tried a few drops of an oil of wintergreen compound for skin trouble? It seems to be about the only safe and sure cure for eczema, salt rheum, tetter, ringworm and kindred diseases.

The liquid is so mild that it is used with wonderful soothing effect on the tender skins of infants.

To prove efficacious, the oil of wintergreen must be mixed with thymol and glycerine, as in the Prescription of Dr. D. D. Dennis, the eminent skin specialist. The compound is known as D. D. D. Prescription. Used with D. D. D. Soap it appears to be infallible.

A. J. Brand, 1128 Joliet St., New Orleans, La., writes:

"About five years ago when my daughter was about three months old she had eczema very badly. Her neck was one solid mass of sores, and we tried everything possible to relieve her, but to no purpose. The doctor we called said that he could cure her, but that it would take at least two years to do so, and on account of her age we surely thought that her pain would kill her. We began using D. D. D. Prescription and after using two bottles she was as well and happy as a child as you can see and with no mark or scar on her skin.

"My youngest daughter, now two years old, started the same way with a sore neck about six months ago. We did not lose any time in applying D. D. D., and it needed only a few applications to heal her neck. I also use D. D. D. after shaving with beneficial results."

Drop in at our store and we will tell you more about curing eczema with D. D. D. Prescription.
W. E. Bard Drug Co.

SPECIAL ATTENTION!

When you are tasteing the five cooking in the demonstration of K. C. Baking Powder, 606 Ohio Street, just notice the flour the Professor uses. It is either

BEAUTIFUL "S" OR VIGORAL BRANDS.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

A PETITION WAS PRESENTED FOR PAVING DAL-WHI-MO COURT.

PAVE A PORTION OF WEST THIRD STREET

Steps May Be Taken to Filter the City Water—Number of Sidewalks Condemned—Council Adjourned at 10:15 P. M.

Council met in regular session Monday night. Mayor Babcock presided. Messrs. Andler and De Jarnette did not answer 21 roll call, both coming in later. Minutes of previous meetings were read and filed.

A petition to pave Dal-Whi-Mo court was presented by property owners and was referred to the street and alley committee, on motion of Mr. Andler.

A petition asking for the removal of the fence in front of the Jewish cemetery was referred to the street and alley committee for investigation.

A petition to curb and pave Third street from Park avenue to Beacon street was read, and a resolution was ordered drawn providing for the same.

The proposed plan to widen the sidewalk on the south side of Third street, from Lamine to Ohio avenue, was revived. W. H. Ramsey, representing Mrs. C. S. Dexter, a property owner, opposed the proposition; likewise Edward Hurley, owner of the Hurley building on that thoroughfare.

While discussing the proposition the question of six telegraph and telephone poles was brought up by Mr. Ilgenfritz, who suggested that steps be taken to remove the poles.

Mr. Ilgenfritz complained that the city water needs a filtering process, and Mayor Babcock and the proper committee were empowered to look after the matter.

The monthly reports of officers were read and filed. They were in the usual form.

Engineer Leaming's estimate of \$1.34 per square yard for paving Third street, east of Ohio avenue, was read and filed.

A resolution for the mayor and city clerk to sign a deed for a right of way for a sewer through the old M. K. & T. shop grounds was adopted.

A resolution to curb Third street, from Hancock to Engineer avenue, was read and adopted.

A resolution condemning the sidewalks on the west side of Ohio avenue, from Jefferson street 104 feet north, was adopted.

A resolution condemning the sidewalk on the east side of Lamine avenue, from Fourth street to the alley running east and west between Third and Fourth streets, was adopted.

A resolution condemning the sidewalks on the north side of Jefferson street, from Ohio avenue west, was read and referred.

A resolution condemning the sidewalks on Third street, from Lamine to Ohio avenue, was read and adopted.

A resolution for sidewalks on the north side of sixteenth street, from Ohio to Ingram avenue, was read and referred to the Third ward committee.

A resolution for sidewalks on the south side of Fourteenth street, from Engineer to Lafayette avenue, was referred to the street and alley committee.

A resolution notifying property owners to put in curbing on Montauk avenue, from Broadway to Seventeenth street, was adopted.

An ordinance to pave Third street, from Lamine to Hancock avenue, was read and passed.

An ordinance repealing certain sections of the ordinance providing for the tearing up of paved streets and altering the same, with a new amendment, was read and passed.

A resolution to curb the south side of Third street, from Lamine to Ohio avenue, was introduced, read and adopted. Messrs. Baker and Johns voting no.

A resolution compelling the City Water company and the Sedalia Light and Traction company to lay mains in certain parts of the city was adopted.

All properly audited bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn to pay the same.

At 10:15 p. m. council adjourned.

Woods' Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, biliousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for jaundice, chills, fever, malaria. The \$1 size contains two and one-half times as much as the 50c size. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Carpets, Rugs and Draperies McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.

Bee Hive Bargain Store

FOURTH & OHIO. SEDALIA, MO.

This Store Will Be Closed to Mark Down All Goods.

Getting Ready for The Big Sale!

Watch This Paper!

Church Members in China.

Chinese converts to Christianity recognize distinctions in the common faith, albeit sects and schisms are contrary to their national traditions. The description of Quakers as No-wash society, Anglicans as Little-wash society, and Baptists as Large-wash society has, of course, regard to the administration of baptism in the three communities; but other salient points frequently form the basis of title. Thus, to Celestial Christians, Congregationalists are known as the One-man-as-good-as-another society, Wesleyans as Hand-shakers—in consequence of the custom of their social gatherings—while Presbyterians figure as Women-can't-speak-in-public society.—Tit-Bits.

A Declining Japanese Industry.

The forging of cineter blades in Japan was once a flourishing industry and the workers formed a close and powerful corporation. But the industry has declined for years, and now only two makers are left—Messrs. Sonkyama and Miyamoto. No young Japanese has come forward to offer himself as an apprentice, and the question was referred to the Mikado with a view of perpetuating the industry.

The Mikado has come to the rescue and has founded two scholarships of \$500 to induce two lads to offer themselves for initiation into the art and mystery of making cineter blades.

A Reminder.

Hi Tragedy—Some people scoff at at homeopathy, but a few little sugar pills cured me last week of—

Lowe Comedy—Jove! Old man, you just remind me of something my wife told me to bring home to-day.

Hi Tragedy—Ah! some medicine? Lowe Comedy—No; a sugar-cured ham.

Had to Catch Him Asleep.

Jane—I see that a Washington judge has ruled that it is legal for a woman to take money from her sleeping husband's clothes.

Ann—I can't see that the decision will do me any good.

"Why not, dear?"
"My husband is troubled with chronic insomnia."

\$200 FOR CALLING JUDGE PIG

Chicago Magistrate Upholds the Dignity of the Bench.

Chicago, March 2.—Becoming incensed when Judge Blank of the Harrison street police station delayed the hearing of his client's case, C. Stuart Beattie told the judge that he was no more fit than a pig to try a case on the bench.

The judge ordered the attorney's arrest, and he was fined \$200 and costs for contempt.

The nine officials estimate that sixty men are embroiled back of the fire, but hopes for their rescue have not been given up.

SMOKE MO. STATE FAIR CIGARS 5c

To Sift Nation's History.

This country is now rich in its historical literature, but of the recent output most has come from west of the Hudson and north of the Potomac and Ohio. We can now study with minutest detail almost every phase and period of our history, with the sole exception of the south, which is late in coming to the front with its own records. The southern people have been content to make history rather than record it, and for this reason materials are meager. But there are in the south writers who are not taking high rank and of whom much more may be expected. We are beginning for the first time to get some studies of the reconstruction period, for instance, out of which an opinion may be formed instead of being taken off-hand at the dictum of contemporary writers who were prejudiced on one side or the other.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Manzan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with a nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Your Shirt orders solicited and appreciated. Mrs. Weiderhold, 416 Ohio.

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In every household there is a great deal of useless labor expended, especially in the line of washing and general laundry work.

There is no use in standing for hours over a hot, steaming tub, no use wasting your time and energy worrying over the careless washing of those summer waists and dresses; absolutely no reason for uselessly wasting your strength in beating and scrubbing carpets—when the Dorn-Cloney Laundry will do the same work as well and for only a trifling cost.

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THIRD AND LAMINE STS.

Our Cleaning, Pressing and Dyeing Department is equally as skillful and systematic. Men's and women's outer garments "made" as good as new. Let us "work over" that Spring and Summer Suit for you. It'll save buying new clothes.

The Ship Subsidy Bill Up.

Washington, March 2.—What is known as the ship subsidy bill was taken up in the house today. Landis, of Indiana, made an earnest plea for its passage.

HEY NEN COAL CO.

SPARE NO EXPENSE TO KEEP THEIR COAL IN GOOD SHAPE AND GET IT OUT THE SAME WAY, AND ARE ALWAYS DOING SOMETHING TO GIVE THEIR CUSTOMERS EXTRA SERVICE AND THE BEST OF EVERYTHING.

PHONES 522.

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The contrast between values and prices in our

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Shoes for men, women and children at prices to make them move—

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Men's \$3.00 Shoes for.....	1.98	Women's \$2.50 Shoes for.....	1.48
Men's \$2.50 Shoes for.....	1.48	Misses' \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes for.....	1.69
Boys' \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes for.....	1.69	Misses' \$2.25 and \$2.50 Shoes for.....	1.48
Boys' \$2.25 and \$2.50 Shoes for.....	1.48	Misses' \$2.00 Shoes for.....	1.39
Children's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes for.....	98c	Misses' \$1.75 Shoes for.....	1.19
Women's \$3.50 Shoes for.....	2.48		

QUINN BROS. Bargain Basement.

PERSONALS

J. W. Byng went to California today.

Roy Thompson went to Smithton today.

S. R. Dempsey went to El Dorado Springs today.

E. R. Andler went to Kansas City this afternoon.

R. W. Griffith made a business visit at Warsaw today.

A. D. Hobart made a business visit at Ottaville today.

Joseph Goehren went to California today on business.

W. A. Latimer went to St. Louis on business last night.

John R. Clifton returned from Marshall this morning.

C. C. Evans went to St. Louis this afternoon on business.

W. J. Sears went to Higginsville on business this afternoon.

Miss Sara Payne returned this afternoon from Cole Camp.

Mrs. Mary Condon returned this afternoon from Kansas City.

N. J. Billingsley, of Dresden, is a business visitor here today.

John Hicks, Jr., made a business trip to Holden this afternoon.

W. D. O'Bannon went to Green Ridge today on legal business.

W. T. Wallace and E. E. May were passengers to Smithton today.

Mrs. N. T. Bellas is home from a pleasant visit at Kansas City.

J. H. Rodes left this morning for a visit of several weeks in Texas.

David Roberts went to Warrensburg this afternoon on business.

Mrs. L. W. Mosher went to Holden this afternoon to visit her mother.

Miss Mae Goodwin returned this afternoon from a visit at Kansas City.

H. E. Agee, editor of the Lamonte Record, was here today on business.

Harry Moore, Jr., returned this morning from a ten days' visit in Kansas.

Miss Carrie Gilkey is home from a pleasant visit in Nevada and in Kansas.

J. B. Brown returned this afternoon from a business visit at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reed, of Clinton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Settles.

W. F. Quigley is in the city from Tipton, combining business with pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Terry, of Lamonte, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell.

Mrs. George K. Mackey and Miss Isabel Daniel are home from a visit in Old Mexico.

Mrs. Bettie Skinner, of Hughesville, returned this afternoon from a visit at Kansas City.

General Representative Cook, of the General Electric Co., is in Sedalia on business.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stern and sons, Henry and Julius, left today for a visit at Buncheon.

"Dick" Rohr left at noon today for Atlanta, Ga., to play professional baseball this season.

Sebastian Urban was an incoming

passenger on train No. 22 at 10.30 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Lella Kidd returned on the noon train today from visiting with friends at Kansas City.

Daniel Donohue, the well known Spring Fork farmer, arrived this afternoon for a brief visit.

"Buck" Agee returned home to Lamonte this morning, after visiting Sedalia friends over night.

Will Crawford returned this forenoon from a business visit at Joplin and points in that locality.

C. R. Combs, of Memphis, Mo., returned home today, after visiting his sons, F. E. and R. C. Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and James Mayes, all of Warrensburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Werner.

Mrs. Frank Hays, of Holden, arrived at noon today to visit Mrs. Hatie Adams, of West Second street.

George N. Arnold, representing the Cudahy Packing Co., came down today from Kansas City on business.

Mrs. Ray Witten returned home to Versailles this afternoon, after being at the bedside of Mrs. C. W. Daugherty.

J. E. Roark, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., returned this forenoon from Warrensburg.

J. E. Clark, a former Sedalian, but now of Kansas City, is in the city and is a guest at Walsh Bros.' European hotel.

Prosecuting Attorney H. D. Dow left last night for Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration ceremonies.

Miss Edna Howard went home to Kansas City this afternoon, after a visit with the family of J. W. Pendergast.

Mrs. E. D. Brown, of Houstonia, was in the city Monday night, on her way to Houston, Texas, to spend the winter.

Mrs. Logan Anspaugh and son, Horace, and Mrs. J. C. Raines returned from a visit at Warrensburg Monday evening.

Mrs. E. E. Durand, of Green Ridge, is here today, attending Chautauqua.

Mack Looney made a business visit at Leeton today.

Miss Grace McKenzie, who has been on the sick list for some time, threatened with pneumonia, is now able to be out.

F. R. Jesse, of Mexico, Mo., who has been visiting his brother-in-law, J. H. Rodes, left this afternoon for Jefferson City on business.

E. T. Leftwich went to Chilhowee today; Walter Ballard went to Clinton and Windsor, and H. B. Harshberger went to Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bellas and son, of Oklahoma City, Okla., will arrive tomorrow to visit Mr. Bellas' brother, N. T. Bellas, and family.

Miss Elizabeth Ricks returned last afternoon from a visit at Kansas City, and while there she attended the Gipsy Smith revival services.

Mrs. M. B. Kendis, who has been visiting J. Waldman and family, left this afternoon for El Paso, Texas, on her way to Albuquerque, N. M.

J. G. Callison, of Windsor; J. P. Ridenour, of Green Ridge, and Robert Ewers, of Kansas City Junction, were business visitors here today.

E. F. Brooks, of St. Louis, arrived this afternoon for an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Sprague, 1510 South Kentucky avenue.

George F. Olendorf, a former Sedalian, but now of Springfield, was at Clinton Monday, looking over the situation with a view of erecting an air dome.

Mrs. Goodson and babe, who have been visiting the former's parents, Judge and Mrs. Louis Hoffman, left this afternoon for their home at Liberty, Mo.

George Busse, of Chicago, a brother of Mayor Busse, of that city, and Dr. McEverett, of the same place, arrived in Sedalia last afternoon, and are attending a stock sale at Smithton today.

Miss Nina Harris left this afternoon for St. Louis to meet her aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Anna Harris and Mrs. Marshall Rust, respectively, after which the three will go to Tampa, Fla., for a month's sojourn.

Mrs. S. F. Brinton and daughter, Miss Bess, have moved their household goods from Eleventh street and Ingram avenue to the W. J. Brill cottage at 314 East Tenth street, and will occupy their new home as soon as Mrs. Brinton recovers from an attack of pneumonia.

Corsets, Rugs and Draperies McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.

Wounds Almost Instantly Fatal.

Nashville, March 2.—At the Cooper trial today, Dr. Duncan Eve testified to the effect that any one of the wounds in Senator Carmack's body, as described by Dr. Glasgow, who performed the autopsy, would have been almost instantaneously fatal.

Country Lard.

Four hundred pounds of country just received; also country sorghum, and pure cider vinegar, at CAIN'S CASH STORE.

112-114 West Main.

GAMBLING HOUSE BURNS

Jim May's Famous Nevada Resort Destroyed With \$100,000 Loss.

Reno, Nev. March 2.—Fire starting about 3 o'clock last afternoon in an upper room of the Arcade hotel, on Commercial street, quickly communicated to the Palace hotel and gambling house, owned by Jim May, on the corner of Commercial and Center streets, and in an hour the notorious gaming place was in ruins.

The Arcade hotel, the Washoe saloon and restaurant, adjoining the hotel on the west, were completely destroyed.

The loss will be about \$100,000, partly covered by insurance.

COUNTIES TO VOTE AS UNITS

That Bill Has Been Engrossed by House and May Pass.

Jefferson City, March 2.—After a lengthy debate today the house of representatives ordered engrossed the Penberton local option bill, providing that counties shall vote as units upon the saloon issue. The measure was reported adversely by the committee but was ordered on the calendar by the house. Friends of the bill declare today's action presages its passage.

"DRYS" ARE PUSHING THINGS

Local Option Elections in Six Indiana Counties This Week.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 2.—The local option movement is spreading broadcast over the state.

Elections will be held in six counties this week, and a dozen other counties probably will hold elections this month.

THIS IS IMPORTANT, IF TRUE

Comparative Ease and Quiet for Hon. W. H. Taft Today.

Washington, March 2.—With no engagement to begin the day, Mr. Taft anticipated another period of comparative ease and quiet to prepare himself for the arduous duties that confront him in the near future.

PEN NAMES OF WOMEN WRITERS

Origin of "George Eliot"—Why Mrs. Harrison Chose "Lucas Malet."

Miss Gregg, who is known as "Sydney C. Grier," chose "Sydney" because it might be interpreted as either a masculine or feminine designation. "Grier" is a Shetland name, and at that time she was much interested in those far away isles. "C" was inserted to make the name look a natural surname.

Mrs. Harrison's reason for concealment as "Lucas Malet" was that she "did not think it right to trade on the Kingsley name," lest she should do it discredit. She therefore chose the "surnames of her grandmother and great-grandmother, both women of remarkable intelligence and character."

The pseudonym of "George Egerton," adopted by the lady now Mary Chavelita Golding-Bright, also springs from family associations. Her mother's name was Isabel George Bynon, and "George Bynon" was her first disguise. But the name of Bynon had been unlucky, and it was quickly dropped for that of "Egerton," the baptismal name of her second husband.

Under the "distinctive combination" of George Egerton she has published nine works since 1893.

Mary Ann Evans called herself "George Elliot" because the first name was the Christian name of her husband, and "Elliot" was a "fine, short, full sounding name that matched her style and story."

Those Fine Wool Blankets

WHICH YOU DREAD TO HAVE LAUNDERED, CAN BE BEAUTIFULLY CLEANED IN OUR

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THE WORK IS THOROUGHLY SANITARY AND ODORLESS, AND THERE IS NOT THE SLIGHTEST RISK OF SHRINKAGE IN ANY WOOLEN ARTICLE SO HANDLED.

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75 New Effects in Pleated Styles of

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Wednesday Morning and Throughout the Week at

HALF PRICE

\$10.00 Pleated Skirts	\$5.00
\$12.50 Pleated Skirts	\$6.25
\$13.75 Pleated Skirts	\$6.88
\$15.00 Pleated Skirts	\$7.50
\$16.50 Pleated Skirts	\$8.25
Up to \$25.00 Pleated Skirts.....	\$12.50

Broadcloths, Panamas, Silks and Voiles in black, brown, blue, grey, tan, etc., plain colors, also many mannish mixtures in fashionable shades.

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THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE
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THEORY AS TO EARTHQUAKES.

Possibility That One Shock Has Power to Set Off Another.

The possibility that the shocks of an earthquake, transmitted through the earth's mass, may "set off" another quake thousands of miles distant has been suggested by an Italian student of the subject, Signor Emilio Odone. Of course, this would be the case only, where the crust of the earth was in such an unstable condition that a good jarring would cause slipping or breakage. Signor Odone has recently called attention to the fact that just half an hour after the great Valparaiso earthquake another quake was recorded, the center of which was in the north Pacific, about 7,000 miles distant. The time required for an earthquake wave to traverse the solid substance of the earth from one of these points to the other is just the period that separated the two disturbances. It may well be, therefore, that the big Valparaiso quake pulled the trigger that "exploded," so to speak, its smaller successor in the northern hemisphere.

Handsome Is as Handsome Does.

Augustus Thomas, the playwright, told in a recent speech of a hunting trip he had taken in the south. They were after "coons and possums, but the only trail the dogs struck was one which made them put their tails between their legs and turn for home.

"Just what does a polecat look like?" Mr. Thomas asked one of his negro guides.

"A polecat, boss? Why, a polecat's somethin' like a kitten, only prettier. Yes, a polecat's a heap prettier'n a kitten, ain't it, Sam?" he said, turning to another negro for corroboration.

Sam did not seem so sure. He hesitated a moment.

"Well," he replied, scratching his wool, "it's always been mah contention dat handsome is as handsome does."—Everybody's Magazine.

A Privilege Denied to Queens.

The ordinary maiden has one privilege which is denied to her royal sister; she can keep her exact age a secret—if she wants to. It is one of the penalties of royal ladies that they cannot exercise that prerogative. Queen Maud of Norway has entered on her fortieth year, and her birthday, on the 26th ult., was kept in real Norwegian style. Her majesty has been described as the most versatile queen in Europe. She speaks five languages and has a good working knowledge of each. Woodcarving and bookbinding are her hobbies, and in sport she has penetrated the mysteries of skiing. She sails the water like an old salt, too, and at whist she is a fine partner for her father.

COUNTY UNIT FIGHT ON

BITTER HOUSE DEBATE ON PENBERTON'S LOCAL OPTION MEASURE.

EARNEST EFFORTS TO TABLE BILL

Pending Amendment Would Make Dry Spell, Once Voted, Last Ten Years Instead of Four Years.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—A foretaste of what is in store when a prohibition resolution comes before the house was obtained yesterday in the heated discussion over the Penberton county unit local option bill, which was up for engrossment.

After consuming nearly the whole of the afternoon session, the matter went over with an amendment pending that where local option is once adopted it can not be again voted upon for a period of ten years, instead of four, as at present.

In opposing the engrossment of the bill, Representative Johnson, of Vernon, declared it was un-American in that it interfered with the liberty of the individual. He said:

"I stand here asserting the privilege of choosing for myself heaven or hell. I am against prohibition and I'm against local option, but stronger against the latter than the former, and I'm against the saloon, too. It is not so much intemperance as it is the vile stuff the people drink that makes the evil. Liquor is like the apple on the tree. When it is green it contains within itself poisonous juices, but under the sunshine of heaven these become palatable and wholesome. Nine-tenths of the evils attending the use of intoxicants would be banished were a better quality consumed—a quality such as would fill a man with jollity and mirth and make him forget his debts. It would hardly be an exaggeration to say that the bitterness engendered in these local option wet and dry fights is as great as the evils resulting from the saloons."

Representative Moore advocated the bill. He declared that all the uses to which liquor were put, save when prescribed by a physician for legitimate medical purposes, were bad.

"The products of these distilleries of hell," he shouted, "are to be outlawed in Missouri." He declared that this was but a step leading to prohibition outright, and made so ardent an argument in favor of the entire obliteration of the liquor traffic as to put the house in a turmoil.

Efforts were then made to table an amendment to the bill, which would have carried the entire measure with it, but these were defeated.

New ribbons, low prices, excellent quality, at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

HOW ARE YOUR EYES?

Are they weak? Do they water? Do they itch? Do they ache? Do they "give out" at close of work? Are you dizzy? Do you have headaches? Are you nervous? Do you have indigestion? Are you easily irritated? Do you feel at times as though life was not worth living? All of those symptoms may be caused by defective vision and can be relieved with the right kind of glasses.

Ormond, our optical expert, will test your eyes and furnish the right kind.

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MENEFEE'S Elective Lump Coal, Per Ton \$3.50

Once used, always used. We also have several hundred tons of KANSAS MINERAL LUMP and NUT COAL. Special prices on 2-ton lots.

20 lbs Best Eastern Cane Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
8 1/2 lbs pure lard	\$1.00
5 gallons best oil	45c
Dry sugar cured ham, per lb	13 1/2c
Guaranteed Hard Wheat Flour per cwt	\$2.75
One bushel choice potatoes	85c
Three cans tomatoes and corn	25c
One pound 25c coffee	20c
One pound 20c coffee	15c
Our Best "Fanchon" Hard Wheat Flour, per cwt	\$2.95
One gallon bucket syrup	35c
FRESH COUNTRY EGGS, PER DOZEN	25c

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Come and see us and we will convince you that we can save you money.

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Spring is Blossoming Out In All Parts of This Busy Store.

Save Money In These Advance Spring Sales!

\$9.95 for Ladies' and Misses' \$15.00 Tailor-Made Suits.

New spring models in pretty all wool chevrons and novelty cloths; three-quarter length coats, satin lined; semi-fitted backs, full flaring skirts; choice for **9.95**

\$14.75 for \$22.50 New Spring Suits.

A score of new models from which to select—the very newest fabrics in all the popular shades; skirts in fashionable gored and flared styles; and coats in the various correct lengths and lines. Choice of these (some like illustration) **14.75**

\$22.50 for \$30.00 Stunning New Spring Suits.

The skirt is made in new gored style while the coat is made in long lines with the hipless effect, trimmed with buttons or touches of Persian braids. Choice for **22.50**

\$1.97 for Misses' \$3.00 Spring Coats.

Neat mixtures trimmed with satin bands. Choice of these **1.97**

\$3.47 for \$5.00 Spring Coats.

Ladies' and misses' spring coats in fancy mixtures or plain colors; \$5.00 values **3.47**

\$4.97 for \$7.50 Stylish Spring Coats.

Beautiful coverts in stripe or plain, nobbly trimmed with buttons, semi or form-fitted; \$7.50 values for **4.97**



TIME TO PAY FINES IS PAST

Neither Standard Nor Republic Oil Company Turns in \$50,000.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—Though the time given them in which to do so expired yesterday, neither the Standard Oil company nor the Republic Oil company has paid the \$50,000 fine imposed upon each of them by the Missouri state supreme court, when it rendered its writ of ouster.

Just what action will be taken by the court is yet to be determined, and some action may be taken Tuesday, when the court will probably meet in banc.

The Waters-Pierce Oil company, also fined \$50,000, paid that sum into the court the day on which it was due and is since seeking a modification of decree against it in other respects.

May Institute Ouster Suit.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—The Republic Oil company of Ohio will be the next target of the attorney general's department in ouster suits, according to announcements made today. The concern was given until March 1 to pay a \$50,000 fine assessed against it by the supreme court, but as no return has been made efforts will be made to collect the money.

The Standard Oil company of Indiana did not pay its fine yesterday, but its motion for a rehearing and modification of the judgment stays the penalty until the supreme court acts upon the motion.

Will Marry at Lamonte.

L. G. Parker and Miss Lottie M. Welkal, both of Lamonte, were granted a marriage license here this afternoon, and will be united in wedlock at the home of the bride's mother at

Lamonte by the Rev. Perry E. Pierce at 8 o'clock tonight.

DIVORCE SUIT DISMISSED

Three Petitions Have Been Filed in Past Three Years.

For the third time in the past three years, Jacob S. Moyer, formerly a prosperous and well known farmer and stockman of Pettis county, now residing at Deepwater, Mo., today dismissed his suit for divorce against his wife, Louella Moyer, and paid all costs in the case.

Mr. and Mrs. Moyer have been married ten years. About three years ago he instituted suit for divorce, on the grounds of desertion and indignities. Later they patched up their difference, returned to each other and the petitioner dismissed the suit.

After several months Moyer again brought suit, making the same allegations. This, too, was patched up. Moyer again dismissing his action.

After months Moyer filed his third suit, alleging desertion and cruelty, and today, through his attorney, W. D. Steele, he dismissed the suit in circuit court.

CURRENCY OF FURS AND SKINS.

Primitive Mode of Exchange That Prevailed in Early Days.

In the early days of the United States furs and skins were very generally transferred from hand to hand as money. Thus, in the northern states, a pound of beaver was regarded as the unit of value, and in the south the same weight of deerskin performed a similar function. In the far west furs retained a currency value until quite a recent date. But, after all, as a mode of skins was rather a bulky roll of money to carry about, it was customary to cut off small strips as tokens of ownership and pass them from hand to hand, while the skins were deposited in recognized places of security. Proof of rightful ownership was demonstrated when the strip was fitted to the part from which it had been detached. Trickery in substituting another skin was not so easy as might be imagined, because it seldom happened that two skins would prove so exactly similar in shade and length of fur where the strip was cut off as to deceive even the eye of a novice.

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Fire and Tornado Insurance.
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LAST WEEK OF "NANA"

Great Painting Will Leave Next Sunday.

The management of Suchorowsky's superb painting, "Nana," which has attracted so much attention during the past week it has been on exhibition at 114 West Third street, announces that the picture will be withdrawn from exhibition from this city on Sunday next, so those who have not seen this masterpiece of art should lose no time in paying it a visit. "Nana" is a work of remarkable realism, an example of the school in which modern Russian painters excel. It is a study in the nude, but the technique is so masterly, the details executed so vividly that it commands itself to the esthetic sense. The same marvelous skill is manifested in the treatment of the accessories, subordinate though these are in effect to the figure. The artist, Suchorowsky, is a Russian who was practically unknown until 1881, when "Nana" attracted the attention of the old world. His other most important works are the "Vision of Love," "Awaiting the Pasha" and "Satisfied With Life." The last two named were in the Russian art section at the St. Louis exposition. "Nana" can be seen until Sunday next at any time of the day between the hours of 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

THIEVES NOW ARE SPECIALISTS.

One Steals Only Glass Eyes, Another Communion Cups.

There has recently developed among thieves and burglars a movement toward special lines of work, so that we now have specialists among "crooks" as well as in the learned professions.

During the past year the establishment of a well-known New York firm of opticians was broken into. The place contained a magnificent stock of valuable lenses, microscopical instruments, gold chains and similar goods worth several thousand dollars.

The robber took none of these things, though they were lying around ready to his hand. He simply secured about 100 glass eyes and decamped. Two other shops were likewise robbed of glass eyes during October.

Large numbers of communion cups are stolen from different churches every year, both here and abroad. In one Presbyterian church, where every communicant is provided with a separate cup, during the past year 216 of these miniature chalices have been stolen.

The very valuable large, jewel-studded chalice and paten, however, appear to have no fascination for the thief or thieves, though they might be as easily carried away as the small cups.

In New Jersey there is a man who is undergoing imprisonment at the present time—a confirmed thief—who never steals anything but toys.

RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

THE "PENNS" GROSS EARNINGS FOR PAST YEAR FELL OFF \$52,446,722.

COACH CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources For the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania railroad company for the year 1908, made public in Philadelphia Monday night, shows a decrease in gross earnings compared with the preceding year of \$52,446,722, and a decrease in net earnings of \$7,436,297.

The gross earnings of 1908 of all lines east and west of Pittsburg were \$274,338,803; operating expenses, \$203,605,535, and net earnings, \$70,733,267. There were 334,429,541 tons of freight moved on the entire system, a decrease of 103,381,275. During the year 142,676,779 passengers were carried, a decrease compared with 1907 of 10,885,192. The gross earnings of all lines directly operated were \$136,296,871, the gross income \$46,547,895, and the net income \$28,207,660.

The report says: "The industrial depression continued throughout the entire year and still prevails. Its results are clearly shown in the abnormal decrease, both in traffic and revenue. The average rate received for the transportation of passengers was less than 2 cents a mile. There can be no question that the railways are not receiving a reasonable compensation for the service performed and for the comforts and facilities furnished to the traveling public."

"It is gratifying to note that a more conservative spirit prevailed in both the state and national legislatures in regard to the undue regulation of railroads. Those who in good faith invest in such enterprises cannot reasonably be expected to make such investments unless they receive the same protection that is accorded the owners of other property."

Conductor Stricken on Train.

C. H. Whitmore, of St. Louis, a conductor for the Pullman Palace Car company, while running between the World's Fair city and Kansas City on Missouri Pacific train No. 11, was stricken with paralysis at Tipton at 2 o'clock this morning and was taken to the Missouri Pacific hospital at Kansas City in a precarious condition.

Dr. A. J. Campbell, Missouri Pacific surgeon in this city, was aroused and boarded train No. 11 here at 4:50 a. m., accompanying the patient to the Kaw river city.

Automatic Couplers.

E. B. Sphar, relief agent for the M. & K. T., left today for Oklahoma City on business.

Missouri Pacific engine No. 414 is being "broke in" between Sedalia and Lamonte today.

E. M. Dennis, Missouri Pacific train master, went to Jefferson City on the noon train today.

James Connor, a Katy secret service man, made a business trip to Sweeney, Mo., today.

C. M. Hunt, of Jefferson City, trainmaster of the Missouri Pacific, was here today on business.

John Wrightman, a Katy conductor, and wife, returned this afternoon from a brief visit at Tipton.

H. H. Black, an M. & K. T. conductor, returned this forenoon from a business visit at Jefferson City.

L. W. Mosher, commercial agent for the Katy, will go to Jefferson City this afternoon on company business.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, is touring the Sedalia district today, and will return home tomorrow.

Will Phillips, a driver for the Pacific Express Co., and wife, went to Lincoln, Mo., today to visit with home folks.

M. & K. T. train No. 2 was run in two sections today, the first section

consisting of two engines, running "light."

Edward Jagels and Charles Tomer, Katy switchmen, are laying off, and Switchmen Harrison and Wilson are filling the places.

Charles Whitney, general chairman of the O. R. C. grievance committee on the M. & K. T., returned this morning from Houston, Texas.

W. L. Tracy, assistant superintendent of machinery for the Missouri Pacific, returned to Kansas City this afternoon, after a brief visit here.

One hundred and thirty-eight tickets were sold to passengers to the Smithton stock sale today. R. H. Beard was in charge of the special train.

R. H. Oglesby, a member of the state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners, was in the city today for a few hours, on his way to Concordia.

Walter Wilson, a Missouri Pacific brakeman, tendered his resignation today, and, accompanied by his wife, will leave soon for El Dorado Springs to make his home on his father's farm.

J. W. Brown, general foreman of the Missouri Pacific telegraph construction department, and G. E. Sharp, general foreman for the Western Union Telegraph Co., both of St. Louis, passed through Sedalia this afternoon, en route to Kansas City and Oklahoma.

SHOTS END A QUARREL

Near Butler, Mo., Garner Wounded James Harrison.

Butler, Mo., March 2.—A neighborhood quarrel, which grew out of the whipping of an unruly pupil by a young woman teacher, culminated yesterday morning in the attempted killing of James Harrison, a widely known farmer of the county, by his nearest neighbors, Charles E. Garner and his son, George Garner.

Mr. Harrison lives three miles southwest of Butler, and on the opposite side of the road is the Shafer farm, where the Garners live.

As Mr. Harrison drove out of his barn lot Charles E. Garner and Harrison exchanged several shots with revolvers, neither hitting the other.

George Garner then appeared with a shotgun and fired at Harrison, the load striking him in the head and breast. Harrison is not badly injured. The Garners were arrested by the sheriff.

WOMAN'S ASSAILANT SUICIDE

Man Who Wielded Razor Leaps From Hospital Window.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 2.—William Gearhart, captain of a fire company, who yesterday murderously assaulted Mrs. Anna Baxter, a widow, with a razor, and then seriously cut himself, committed suicide yesterday by jumping from the third floor of the Pittsburg hospital.

Mrs. Baxter is in a precarious condition today.

Although guarded by a policeman, Captain Gearhart eluded the officer and leaped through the window, carrying the glass and sash with him. He alighted on his head, causing death in a few minutes.

CRUM, NEGRO, RESIGNS

The New Southern Policy of Hon. W. H. Taft Bears Fruit.

Washington, March 2.—The telegraphed announcement received here last night that Dr. William D. Crum, the negro collector at Charleston, S. D., has forwarded his resignation to President Roosevelt, forms the first important development resulting from the new southern policy to be pursued by Taft. Crum will not be re-appointed.

Chess and Checks.

Chess was originally the game of kings, the game of shahs. The word "shah" became in old French "eschac," while the old French "eschecs" was further corrupted into "chess." The more original form chess has likewise been preserved, though we little think of it when we draw a cheque, or when we suffer a check, or when we speak of the chancellor of the exchequer. The great object of the chess player is to protect the king, and when the king is in danger the player is obliged to say "check," i. e., shah, the king. After this the various meanings of check, cheque, or exchequer become easily intelligible. Exchequer, or scaccarium, the name of the chess board, was afterward used for the checkered cloth on which accounts were calculated by means of counters.

The Right Sort of Wife.

An Atchison man recently refused a proposal of marriage. "I like you," he said to the girl, "but you have too many friends. There would be too many at our wedding, for you would be afraid not to invite them all, and your many friends wouldn't be satisfied unless they made fools of us by playing some kind of crazy pranks on us when we started on our wedding journey. You have so many friends

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Used by the best families, hotels and restaurants the world over.

Makes the lightest, most delicious and tasty hot biscuit. Makes the hot-bread, rolls and muffins sweet and wholesome

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that we would get all kinds of wedding presents that we don't want, and would be kept poor in future trying to pay back when the donors got married. You are nice, and I like you, but what I am looking for in a wife is a woman who is friendless."—Atchison Globe.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade Building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 67 cars; corn, 26 cars; oats, 14 cars.

Wheat market—Unchanged. No. 2 \$1.10@1.15; No. 3, \$1.08½@1.14; No. 2 red, \$1.29@1.31; No. 3 red, \$1.24@1.29. Futures—May, \$1.08½; July, 97½c; Sept., 92½c.

Corn market—Unchanged to ¼c higher. No. 2 white, 63c; No. 2 yellow, 62½@62¾c; No. 2 mixed, 62@62¼c. Futures—May, 63¼c; July, 63½c; Sept., 61½c.

Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 50@50½c; No. 2 white, 54@58c.

Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Campbell Bros. & Rosson Live Stock Commission Co., stock brokers.

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 5,000; hogs, 14,000.

Cattle market—Ten to 15 cents higher; strong. Best corn fed cattle, \$6.25@6.55; medium corn fed cattle, \$5.75@6.10; grass cattle weighing 1200 and upwards, \$5.45@5.75; feeders, heavy, \$5.25@5.50; light, \$4.75@5.15; stockers \$4.00@4.75; cows, best, \$5.00@5.50; medium, \$4.00@4.25; heifers, best, \$5.50@6.00; medium, \$4.50@5.00; stock heifers, \$3.25@4.00; stock calves, \$3.50@5.00; veal calves, \$6.00@7.50.

Hog market—Ten cents higher. Top, \$6.45; bulk, \$6.00@6.40. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, \$6.40@6.45; choice prime, over 200 pounds, \$6.10@6.40; choice light, over 100 pounds, \$5.75@6.10.

Whole Lake Little Enough.

Wilson, the poet, better known as "Christopher North," is the author of many of the wittiest things he did not say are attributed to him. One morning after a "gran night," with a group of his cronies and an abundance of "whisky" and wit, he awoke with a throat like a lime kiln and called out for the landlady of the little inn on the shore of Loch Lomond, where he was spending his holiday: "Bettle, guid dame, I'm unco dry. Fetch in the loch."—New York Jour. nal.

NINE DEATHS IN MINE

Gas Explosion Followed by Fire in Pennsylvania Has Fatal Results.

Port Blanchard, Pa., March 2.—A gas explosion followed by a fire in the colliery of the Erie Coal company, near here, today, has resulted in the serious injury of a dozen men and the entombing of a number of others back of the fire. A large force of rescuers is at work and up to noon two bodies had been removed from the mine.

All of the entombed men made their way to the surface this afternoon through an old abandoned working.

For Sale—Good farm mules, harness and driving horses. J. W. Menefee & Son, 401 West Main.

New Pastor Arrived Today.

Rev. Harold Cooper and wife arrived this afternoon from Ironton, Ohio, and the former at once assumed the pastorate of the First Congregational church, succeeding the Rev. James Parsons, resigned. The Rev. Cooper delivered his farewell sermon at Ironton last Sunday.

SALOON THOUGHT NO. 86.

Can YOU understand why the MODEL LICENSE LEAGUE is spending money in Sedalia telling us what would become of Kentucky should prohibition win out. If you understand THAT, kindly explain what they mean by saying such as this: "The amount of liquors consumed would not be lessened in any degree, the state merely suffers the loss of REVENUE." If this be true, why are they spending money telling what terrible calamity would befall the brewery interests, and how many million people would be without work, etc. If the same amount of liquor is consumed, it will take the same breweries to make it and the same help.

Again, just take your pencil and figure up what they say they use in grains, horses, bottles, wagons, etc., (every year) and then just figure it that this is only a small percentage of what they take from the PEOPLE, and you will get some idea of what they are filching from the pockets of honest labor.

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Is one of the most delicate parts of the body and should be carefully guarded and cared for especially at this time of the year. You ought to stop a sore throat just as soon as you get it. The best way to do it is with **WILCOX'S GARGLE**. It immediately reduces swelling, inflammation, cleans, softens and soothes the tender tissues and in ordinary cases gives relief at once. Price 25c a bottle

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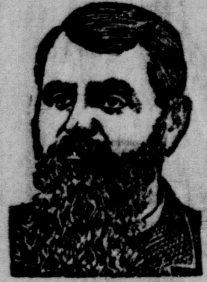
Dyspepsia is indicated by a constant feeling of laziness, by loss of appetite and troubled sleep, by sour stomach and distress after eating, by bad complexion and lusterless eyes.

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Thousands of families everywhere keep it in the house against such an emergency as constipation, sour stomach, indigestion, biliousness, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, etc., which may come on a member of the family any day. It is pleasant to the taste and it does not gripe. It is the great children's laxative tonic.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 100 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.



W. E. BARD DRUG CO.

Meeting of the Driving Club.

At a meeting of the Sedalia Driving club, Monday night, it was decided to give the first races in April. It is hoped to arrange races for Memorial day with either the Kansas City or Carthage Driving clubs, which clubs have some of the speediest horses in the state.

MULES FOR SALE

SOME GOOD FARM MULES AT BOULDER BROS. MULE BARN, ONE BLOCK NORTH MISSOURI PACIFIC DEPOT.

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At Monday afternoon's meeting of Sorosis Mrs. David J. Temple and Mrs. P. G. Stafford were elected associate members.

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A BATTLE TO THE DEATH

THAT OF "THE ALAMO" AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, 73 YEARS AGO TODAY.

THREE BRAVE MEN WHO WROTE HISTORY

Story of the Fight Is Almost Beyond Belief—How David Crockett, William Travis and James Bowie Met Death.

Austin, Texas, March 2.—Seventy-three years ago today three of the most heroic figures in American history wrote their names on their country's scroll of fame in letters that time will never fade. On the 6th day of March, 1836, was enacted the final scene in the tragedy of "The Alamo," in which David Crockett, William Travis and James Bowie, with their handful of devoted and fearless followers, yielded up their lives.

There were less than 200 of these daring spirits within the walls of the ancient mission at San Antonio, Texas, and they were opposed by an army of more than 6,000 Mexicans, under the command of General Santa Anna. "The Alamo," the old Spanish church edifice, wherein was enacted one of the sublimest tragedies in the entire history of the American continent, is now little more than a splendid ruin at San Antonio, but around it have been written song and story that will never die.

Every one of the heroes of "The Alamo" was an American frontiersman. On Feb. 22 Santa Anna crossed the Rio Grande at the head of an army for the purpose of putting down the revolt that threatened to sever Texas from Mexico. This invasion of Texas stirred up all the fighting blood of the gallant spirits. General Sam Houston, commander in chief, thought best to retire across the Colorado river and await reinforcements.

Colonel William Travis did not agree with him, but in command of the regular garrison, took refuge in the old Spanish mission at San Antonio, and determined to make a last stand against the Mexicans.

Colonel James Bowie, famous as a duelist and as the maker of the Bowie knife, agreed with his plans. David Crockett joined them almost immediately. The three intrepid commanders had a mere handful of men and only one small cannon. Against this company came the great Mexican army. The doors of the make-shift fortress were barricaded, and when, on the last day of February, a messenger came from Santa Anna, demanding a surrender, he was sent back with words of defiance.

The Mexican army surrounded the old stone building and a big gun was led into position and opened fire. Crockett was asleep when a cannon ball announced that the opening of the last fight had commenced. Col. Bowie was bedfast from a wound, but Travis was in active command.

Crockett sprang from his bunk and saw in a minute that the gun was within rifle range. Crockett was a dead shot, and he picked off five Mexican gunners with rifles loaded and handed to him, as fast as the Mexicans attempted to use their cannon. Finally, they were actually driven back by Crockett's accurate aim.

Then the Mexicans let things settle down to a state of siege. This "The Alamo" seemed well calculated to stand. The walls were thick, and though built more than a century previous, were solid and could withstand the long range firing of the Mexicans. The windows were high and very narrow and there were few doors.

For five days the siege continued, and then Santa Anna decided to try to carry the place by assault. The entire building was surrounded by a high adobe wall, since torn down.

Dawn of March 6 showed the Texans guarding this wall, which was strong on three sides, but weak on the north. The place was entirely surrounded and the devoted souls in that old stone church building knew that their fate was sealed.

The storming parties were held at bay by the Texas riflemen on three sides, but a column under command of General Castillon attacked the weak north wall, and made a breach. Then came the most desperate hand-to-hand fight of which all history makes record. As the Mexicans came pouring in they were beaten back again and again, but each time they renewed the attack they made better headway. The outer wall was carried and the Texans retired with in the church. It was butchery then, and no slaughter house was ever more completely blood-soaked.

Into the very last part of the old building the Texans were crowded and separated from each other in different parts of the structure. Still they fought on, with clubbed guns. Crockett was still on his feet and with him a little band of five or six. He had nothing left but the barrel of

his rifle, and with this he laid them out.

General Castillon wanted to spare the lives of the remaining Texans, and besought his commanding general to do so. Crockett heard Santa Anna's refusal, and, dropping his gun barrel and clutching his knife, he tied to break through the fighting codron that surrounded him and reach the Mexican general, but fell, riddled with bullets.

Meantime, Colonel Bowie, who lay on his bed in another room, unable to take a hand in the fight, assumed command of the wounded in the hospital room and ordered them to sell their lives as dearly as possible.

The door to this hospital room was very narrow—so small that scarcely more than a single person could get through it at a time. Lying on his bed, Bowie used his pistol and several other pistols that were loaded and handed to him, for he was as great a shot with the pistol as Crockett was with the rifle.

Every shot killed a Mexican. Santa Anna saw he was sacrificing men as fast as Bowie could pull the trigger, and he resorted to a most horrible expedient. The cannon that the Texans had used in their defense was wheeled up with its muzzle right at the door of the hospital room and a load of grape shot and canister was turned loose that destroyed every living thing in that room.

Even after this cannon shot was fired Bowie leaped from his bed and plunged his knife into a Mexican, and both fell dead together.

History records that four persons escaped this massacre, and they were all non-combatants. One was Mrs. Dickinson, wife of one of the Texas officers, and her daughter, Emily, the other two were servants. Miss Emily was an inmate at the time. Afterward she was known as the "Child of The Alamo."

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H. W. Meuschke, chairman of the Pettis county republican central committee, has been named by Governor Hadley as a member of the board of managers of the Nevada insane asylum. The honor was worthily bestowed.

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Blanche Walsh Has Recovered.

Blanche Walsh will leave Kansas City for New York city in a few days. She left the University hospital Monday, after an illness of several weeks, and is staying at the Hotel Baltimore for a few days. She is gaining strength rapidly, it is said, and will be able to travel the latter part of this week or the first of next.

Garden Tools.

All kinds of garden tools for less than sold for elsewhere at Ramsey's, Sixth and Ohio.

"Little Squaw," a delightful cigar.

Burial in Crown Hill.

The body of I. D. Higleyman, of Kansas City, an uncle of W. H. Higleyman, of this city, will arrive here at 4:25 o'clock this afternoon and will be taken direct to Crown Hill cemetery, where the interment will be made.

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15c pound. New Mackerel, cod fish, and Halibut just received at CAIN'S CASH STORE. 112-114 West Main street.

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Tree Fell on a Dwelling.

Workmen were uprooting a large tree in the vicinity of William T. Murphy's home, 210 North Lamine avenue, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, when a large limb broke and fell on Mr. Murphy's house, dismantling the chimney and partially destroying the roof of the residence.

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Boonville Red Men Coming.

The degree team of the Boonville tribe of Red Men, numbering 16 members, will arrive here at 6:25 o'clock this evening to witness Apache tribe exemplify the secret work of the order.

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TAFT'S RIGHT HAND MAN

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accompanied Taft on at least one Panama trip. He went to the Philippines with Taft in 1905 when the secretary took over a congressional party, including Alice Roosevelt and Nick Longworth. He likewise was of the party when Secretary Taft went

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to the Philippines in 1907, and he returned by way of the Siberian railroad and Russia. His journeys with Taft, as stated, aggregate in the neighborhood of 100,000 miles, and include two trips around the world.

The country well understands, of course, that Mr. Taft has enormous capacity for work, but it does not understand so well that he also has in his big makeup a streak of the real old tropical manana. He likes to put off things, and he does put them off. And when he does them he has a lot of them to do. The people who went through the campaign with Taft saw the human side of the man with vivid fidelity, and they have no difficulty in understanding why Fred Carpenter is highly prized and relied upon by Taft. Carpenter is so exceedingly expert and intelligent that when it comes to doing three days' work in one he is always there with the goods, as they say in the leading sporting circles.

Grinding Out Campaign Speeches.

Those campaign speeches used to be the bane of Taft's existence. Not that he did not like to deliver them, for he did. But he hated with a most cordial hatred to prepare them in advance. Yet prepare them he had to, for they generally had to be ready for the newspapers at the moment of delivery, in order that the train might proceed to the next point of oratorical outburst. Taft used to postpone the preparation of the speeches until his political assistants became restive and urgent, and then he would turn upon them and blow them up properly, after which he would retire with Carpenter and take up the weary grind once more of dictating in cold blood that which he had desired to say only when warmed up.

Mr. Carpenter has acquired fine ability to read people. This has been one result of his connection with Mr. Taft. And it is this which will serve him well when he goes to the White House to act as official sifter of the unceasing stream of callers there. But his habit of life has also equipped him in another direction for the position. He has learned the art of making his time count in the dispatch of business. He can break off an im-

portant and absorbing task to conduct an interview upon some entirely foreign topic, and then in an instant drop back into the depths of his work. It is a rare art, but the secretary to the president must have it developed to a degree, if he would be successful, and everybody who knows Mr. Carpenter predicts nothing but success for him in the place.

Notice to Live Stock Owners.

When you contemplate employing a veterinarian, remember that the better the qualifications of the man you employ the less your chances for loss in proportion. Walter Warren has been practicing in Sedalia for over three years and desires that you make inquiry about his work. He is the only graduated veterinarian located in Pettis county that does a general practice. When you have a valuable animal that needs attention you cannot afford to employ any but the best. If you desire to consult him call at his residence, 1021 South Kentucky street. Phone 246, or at Hardings barn, 218 South Osage.

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MISSOURI PACIFIC.

No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart.
12	12:15...St. L. Exp.	12:20 a.m.
13	2:10 a.m. St. L. Lim.	2:15 a.m.
20	2:35 a.m. St. L. Lim.	2:40 a.m.
22	10:30 a.m. Local Pass.	10:40 a.m.
3	1:00 p.m. St. L. Sp'cl.	1:05 p.m.
8	4:25 p.m. Mail & Exp.	4:30 p.m.
15	9:10 p.m. K. C. Accom.	

East bound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a. m.

No. Arr.	Going West.	Depart.
9	1:45 a.m. Joplin Lim.	1:50 a.m.
10	4:00 a.m. Colo. Exp.	4:05 a.m.
11	4:45 a.m. K. C. St. J. Lim.	4:50 a.m.
57	Local Pass.	7:15 a.m.
21	2:50 p.m. Local Pass.	3:00 p.m.
1	2:30 p.m. Col. & St. J. Spe	2:35 p.m.

West bound local freight departs from station at 7:30 a. m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

No. 622, Passenger, arr....	10:30 a.m.
No. 624, Passenger, arr....	9:45 p.m.
No. 623, Passenger, dep....	5:15 a.m.
No. 621, Passenger, dep....	2:55 p.m.
No. 691, Local Frt., dep....	6:40 a.m.
No. 696, Local Frt., arr....	2:30 p.m.

WARSAW BRANCH.

No. 643 departs.....	7:15 a.m.
No. 644 arrives.....	2:25 p.m.



MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

No. Arr.	Going South.	Depart.
1	6:25 p.m. Local Pass.	6:50 p.m.
5	8:50 a.m. Local Pass.	9:10 a.m.
8	3:17 a.m. Flyer.	3:22 a.m.
511	Local Freight.	7:10 a.m.

No. Arr.	North and East.	Depart.
No. 615	Da. Except Sun.	8:35 a.m.
451	Da. Except Sun.	2:00 p.m.

KANSAS CITY DIVISION.

Going East.	
No. 616 arrives..	3:55 p
No. 452 arrives ...	5:00 a
U 12:35 am.. Flyer	12:40 a
504 ...Da Except Sun ...	6:15 a
B 8:25 am..Local Pass..	8:50 a
6 8:05 pm..Local Pass..	8:30 a

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His mother, who lives at Indianapolis, and a brother, who lives at Seymour, Ind., have employed J. W. Fortune, of this city, to conduct the defense.

Strong efforts have been made at the present session of the Indiana legislature to repeal the law, but criminologists throughout the country fought the repeal.

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Mr. Monroe Resigns.

Charles B. Monroe, foreman of the printing department at the reform school, resigned Saturday and will go to farming near Tipton—Boonville Democrat.

Mr. Monroe is a son of Walter M. Monroe, the well known insurance man, and was formerly employed as a linotype operator in Sedalia.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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Question of Precedence. Recently a dispute was raised as to whether a certain lawyer or a certain doctor was to have precedence at a function at which both were to play prominent parts. It was impolitic to allow either of these two men to be offended. While the discussion was under way as to which was to be seated next the speaker, an old politician in the room, said the discussion was one which he thought he could settle by giving them the words of the great Diogenes who had said upon an ancient occasion: "Let the thief go before; let the executioner follow after." The politician said he thought that meant the lawyer should have first place and the doctor come next.

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READS LIKE A ROMANCE

THE LIFE OF "LUCKY" BALDWIN, WHO DIED AT HIS HOME ON MONDAY.

HE SUCCEUMS AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

Went to California in 1850, a Poor Man, Made 20 Millions Out of the Comstock Lode and More on the Race Tracks.

Elias Jackson Baldwin, better known as "Lucky" Baldwin, who died at his home at Arcadia, Cal., Monday, was born in Butler county, Ohio, April 3, 1828. He followed the occupation of his father, and tilled the soil in his early years near South Bend, Ind., whence his parents had moved. The trading spirit was, however, strong in the young man, and he soon engaged in canal boating on the Illinois and Michigan canal. His frequent trips to Chicago with boat loads of grain brought him into close contact with speculative markets. He speculated and won. While yet a young man he became wealthy through his speculations.

In 1850 he started from Racine, Wis., to drive "the plains across" to California. The most dramatic incident of Baldwin's trip has been placed on canvas, and hangs in the parlor of the old man's hotel, the Arcadia, at Santa Anita ranch.

It presents a battle between Baldwin's party and a band of Indians at a point in the great Salt Lake valley. Arriving in California Baldwin engaged in various kinds of business, always with a certain amount of success. Not until the days of the Comstock discovery, however, and the resulting whirlwind of speculation, when struggling miners became millionaires, perhaps multi-millionaires, between sums, did he reach the distinction of being classed as a rich man.

Baldwin's most brilliant play, and his bitterest fight, occurred in connection with the development of the Ophir mine. The Ophir was one of the Comstock lode properties, and the par value of its stock was \$100 per share. A certain clique of bankers and mining men operating in San Francisco and Virginia sought to control the mine by fair means or foul.

With this object in view they caused to be made an assay of Ophir ore which showed a very poor grade. Ophir stock was unloaded by the heaviest holders, and all sorts of false rumors were put into circulation to force down the price of the stock. Baldwin did not credit the assayer's report, nor did he give any heed to the discouraging reports of Ophir's poor showing. He very quietly employed an expert assayer and smuggled him into the mine under the guise of a laborer.

The reports of this man confirmed his suspicions. Ophir was found to be one of the richest bodies of ore on the Comstock. Then Baldwin set about in a quiet and unostentatious way to buy every share of Ophir stock that was being unloaded. Before his enemies awoke to the real situation, Baldwin held a controlling interest in the mine. He made known to the world the true value of Ophir ore and the vastness of its extent. The stock immediately soared. He squeezed without mercy those who had tried to ruin him. Out of this contest he emerged with the self-satisfaction of a great financial victory, and more than three millions in profits.

Twenty million dollars was the sum of Baldwin's reward from the vast mining enterprises in which he engaged in the boom on the Comstock. A true son of the soil, when riches came to Baldwin, his mind turned to the soil, and he bought a great tract of land in the beautiful and fertile San Gabriel valley, in Southern California. This he named El Santa Anita ranch, a name since become famous wherever thoroughbreds are raced and equine beauty and bravery are admired.

Forty-two thousand acres are within the boundaries of this magnificent property.

But this did not satiate his appetite for land. He purchased a large tract in San Francisco canyon, and another in Merced county, in the great wheat producing San Joaquin valley. In Los Angeles, in El Monte, and in San Francisco large holdings of real estate were placed in the name of E. J. Baldwin. He built the Baldwin hotel in San Francisco. From Santa Anita have come the finest specimens of horse flesh that

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PRIEST AND EDITOR

Sued for \$50,000 Damages by Judge in His Own Court.

New Orleans, La., March 2.—A sequel to the recent hot judicial primary in Iberville parish was a suit filed by Judge Colvin K. Schwab, in his own court, against Fr. John J. Holtgreve, a Catholic priest, and James E. Dunlap, an editor, of Plaquemine, demanding \$50,000 damages for alleged slander.

Fr. Holtgreve, in a sensational card, promises to give an expose of the affair.

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"Jack" Carter Sends \$5.

The Democrat-Sentinel has received a postoffice order for \$5, with the request that the daily edition of this paper be mailed for a year to "Jack" Carter, Co. L, National Soldier's Home of Kansas. Here's the paper, Jack, and may it give you all of the pleasure you have anticipated.

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RELIGIOUS NEWS NOTES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES IN AFRICA ARE NOW SELF SUPPORTING.

A BIG INCREASE IN FOREIGN MISSIONS

In Spite of the Financial Depression Last Year, Increase From United States and Canada Was \$602,000.

The Presbyterian church is the only Protestant church carrying on work in Siam and Laos.

The Danish Missionary society reports a membership of 10,818 in all of its congregations in Greenland.

In all the large religious denominations of this country the movement toward federation is growing rapidly.

There are in the United States nine Japanese Shintoist temples and forty-nine Chinese Buddhist temples.

The Lutheran church in Greenland reports a revival of religion among the Christian Eskimos of that country.

There are about thirty Methodist churches in Boston, most of which are small, only seven having over 300 members.

Dr. A. J. Gordon's church (Baptist) in Boston, which in one year gave over \$20,000 to missions, last year gave only \$150.

It is stated of the Presbyterian churches in Africa that those having native pastors have come to self-support in the last two years.

The Chicago Home Missionary and Church Extension society of the M. E. church appropriated last year for its work in the city \$11,804.54.

The average salary of the Methodist Episcopal pastor last year was \$860, and of the district superintendent (presiding elder), was \$1,700.

In spite of the financial depression last year, the offerings for foreign missions from the United States and Canada increased \$602,000 over the gifts of the previous year.

There will be a conference of Christian missionaries to study the needs and opportunities of the Moslem world, from the missionary point of view, in Lucknow, India, in 1911.

Thomas M. Honan, the new speaker of the Indiana house of representatives, is a Roman Catholic of Irish and German stock, and is said to be one of the best informed men in the house.

The recent conversion of Mr. Chang Po Ling, one of the leading educators and philanthropists of Tientsin city, has roused much comment in various government circles in China. Mr. Chang is now under orders to invest-

gate education in the United States, Germany, France and England.

There will be a meeting of the Laymen's Missionary movement of the Reformed church in the United States at Reading, Pa., March 16-18, at which at least 500 men are expected.

In Canada there are 109,394 Indians, of whom 74,000 are identified with various religious denominations, the proportion being about the same among the 291,581 Indians of the United States.

In Boston the Protestant Episcopal church has made the most progress of any denomination in the past ten years, nineteen parishes increasing 32 per cent, and in the suburbs the growth has been greater.

The American University at Washington, D. C., under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal church, has received a gift of \$11,000 from a "Friend" in Ohio, who wishes his name withheld for the present.

In 1801 there were about 2,340 church edifices in America, valued at about a million and a half dollars. Now there are 187,800 church buildings valued at \$734,000,000, and the annual expenses are \$287,000,000.

It is stated as a significant as well as a prophetic fact that the laymen of all denominations are responding to the challenge to evangelize the world in larger numbers, and with greater enthusiasm than ever before.

In 1817 the first issue of the Hebrew New Testament appeared, and was revised in 1830. The translation of the Old Testament into Judaeo-Polish was published in 1830, and the "Pilgrim's Progress" was printed in Hebrew in 1840.

D. E. C. Sanderson, at one time superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of Iowa, and recently editor of the "Indian Witness" of Calcutta has resigned the editorship to enter the missionary work of the Methodist Episcopal church in that country.

In Central China the Presbyterians have eighteen organized churches, some of them entirely self-supporting and many others nearly so. Besides these, there are forty-five out-stations, which are visited regularly by the missionary or in charge of a native helper.

There are 729 Roman Catholic churches in the state of Wisconsin, with a membership of 525,459. Of the 1,083 priests of the state, 727 are of the secular clergy and 356 are members of religious orders. There are 339 parish schools, with an attendance of about 62,193.

In Lisbon, Portugal, there are thirteen native Protestant congregations of Presbyterians, Episcopalians, Congregationalists, Methodists and Darbyites. While there is complete religious equality, there are occasional instances of priestly and even magisterial interference and annoyance.

Mr. Frederick A. Wallis, New York's superintendent of insurance, who resigned a position paying him a salary of \$17,500 for this one of \$7,000, is an elder of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, and superintendent of the church's great east side mission. Mr. Wallis is a great Sunday school man.

The total gifts in the various foreign fields for missionary purposes were \$4,844,000 last year, this being an increase of \$1,360,000 over the previous year. It is a remarkable fact that this total is 48 per cent of the amount contributed for foreign missionary purposes by the Protestant churches of North America.

It is stated that some of the oldest organizations of the Congregational church in Scotland have recently suspended for lack of support, the conservative members seeking a home among the Presbyterians and the radical among the Unitarians or elsewhere, and that Congregationalism today is only two-thirds as strong north of the Tweed as it was a few years ago.

While an average of two members for each ordained Protestant minister were added to the total church membership in the United States last year there was an average of forty-one for each ordained American missionary abroad. It took about 100 years to gain the first million converts in foreign lands, or until 1836. The second million was added in twelve years—1896-1908. They are now being added at the rate of a million in six years, or at the rate of 450 per day.

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Indiana Village Will Quit Prohibition County in a Body.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 2.—Citizens of Haubstadt, Gibson county, have appointed a committee to purchase a tract of land across the line in Vanderburg county, and will remove the town bodily to the new site.

Gibson county voted dry last week and the citizens of Haubstadt want to get into a county where there is no probability of a temperance-wave engulfing them.

The town has a population of about 700 and the heads of all the families were represented at the meeting at which it was determined to seek a new site.

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Charlie Barde a Candidate.

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Red Men's Social Session.

One hundred members of Wichita tribe of Red Men enjoyed a feast and social session at the K. of C. hall last night. An informal program was rendered and Herrick's orchestra furnished the music. The menu consisted of roast beef, potato and salmon salads, pickles, celery and other side dishes, and at an early hour this morning all returned home, vowing the affair the most enjoyable of the kind ever held.

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Cigarette Smoker to Asylum.

Greenville, Ill., March 2.—As a result of the incessant smoking of cigarettes, Charles McCasland, 21 years old, a son of Theodore McCasland, living west of this city, was adjudged insane by a jury in the county court before Judge William H. Dawdy. McCasland was taken to the insane asylum at Anna.

Another Moving Picture Show.

The American Amusement company, of Chicago, has applied to City Engineer Leaming for a permit to erect a small building on West Third street, just in the rear of the Sedalia National bank, in which they will open a moving picture show.

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Banquet Tomorrow Night.

The district banquet of the Prudential Life Insurance company for the Sedalia district will be given at the Antlers hotel tomorrow night.

Dr. O. F. Hatton

Wishes to announce that he has returned to Sedalia and has permanently located with office rooms in the Hoffman Bldg. Bell phone 312.

Mr. Hamner Buys a Home.

R. B. Hamner has purchased from F. W. Phipps, the cottage at 1101 West Third street, the consideration being \$2,600.

Three Directors Chosen.

Dr. F. M. Fulkerson, R. F. Harris and William Courtney were elected members of the board of managers of the Country club at Monday night's meeting.

Will Hold City Convention.

Chairman A. W. McKenzie has issued a call for ward primaries Friday night, the 19th, to select delegates to the republican city convention to be held at the court house at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night, March 20, for the nomination of four aldermen and two school directors.

CASTORIA

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A Missouri Woman a Suicide.

Shelbina, Mo., March 2.—Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery hanged herself yesterday. She dressed her two children, a boy and a girl, 12 and 14 years old, respectively, and sent them to Sunday school before committing suicide. She recently had sued her husband for divorce.

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